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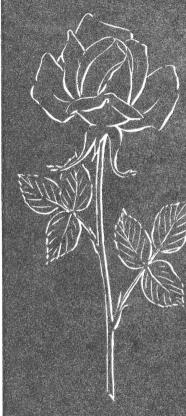
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# FORBES GARDEN CENTERS

Morris Turnpike at Millburn Ave., Millburn and Route 10, Hanover, N. J.

(one mile west of the Livingston Traffic Circle)



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  Garden Chrysanthemums (in pots),
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#### STARTED POT-GROWN PEONY PLANTS

Last fall we potted dormant roots and now offer fine started Peony plants, fully alive and growing, established in 7x9 inch pots ready for your garden this spring.

#### DOUBLE PEONIES

- Auguste Dessert. 8.7. Rose-red narrowly edged with silver. \$1.75 each. 3 for \$4.95.
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- Karl Rosenfield. 8.8. Free-blooming; bright crimson flowers, \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.35.
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- Longfellow. 9.0. Full; of distinct fadeless bright crimson. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.95.
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- Mons. Martin Cahuzac. 8.8. Dark purplegarnet, black reflex, \$2.25 ea.; 3 for \$6.45.
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- Sarah Bernhardt. 9.0. Fragrant deep rosepink tipped silver. \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.35.
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- Walter Faxon. 9.3. Free blooming; delightful salmon-rose flowers. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.95.

#### SPECIES PEONIES

Officinalis plena. These very fragrant doubles bloom 2 to 3 weeks earlier than the above. Ht. 2½ ft. Pink, Red, or White, each \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.45.

#### Something New!

# STARTED POT-GROWN POPPY PLANTS

Last fall we potted dormant roots and now offer fine started Poppy plants, fully alive and growing, established in 6-inch pots all ready for your garden this spring.

Barr's White. Beautiful, large, pure white satiny flowers with purplish black centers.

Betty Ann. Very beautiful, large flowers of La France pink without blotches.

Big Jim. Huge flowers of deep maroon on strong, free blooming plants.

Cerise Beauty. Very free-flowering ceriserose blooms having black-purple centers.

Flashy Glow. Large, bright yellow flowers with a suffusion of orange.

Gold of Ophir. Dwarfer plants, 26 inches high, with big golden orange flowers.

Henry Cayeaux Improved. Large blooms of

Hercules. Tremendous, true scarlet flowers on extra tall sturdy plants 3½ feet high.

Joyce. Big flowers of soft red with a suffusion of cherry-red on tall strong plants.

Wurtembergia. Tremendous flowers of cerise-scarlet with black centers.

In 6-inch pots, any of the 10 varieties, 80c each; 3 for \$2.25; \$8.40 per doz.

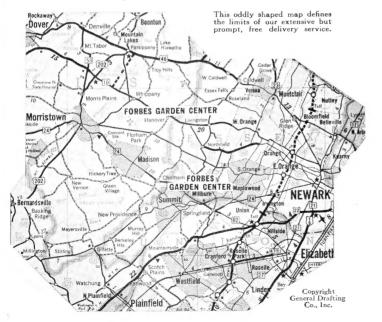


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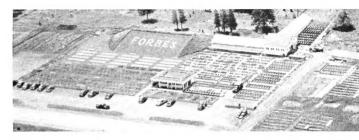
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Dormant means sleeping. Unfortunately many sleeping roses never wake up. They may have dried out and died, or they may be too sleepy to ever start growing.

#### Forbes Pot-Grown Roses are Awake!

Bursting with life before you buy them, they have been awake and growing for weeks. We discard the sleepy heads. Forbes Pot-Grown Roses are best for you because all are the largest, strongest bushes (not mail order size) grown specially for us under ideal conditions by the leading rose grower of the northwest. We start them in 7 x 9-inch pots, to give ample room for the heavy root systems to develop, and grow them on outdoors just as nature intended. They cost slightly more than dormant roses but are well worth it, and are easily planted in your garden without setback. The varieties are the finest available. See pages 24 to 27.



Above, from our Elite Lawn Seed

#### FFFD AND SEED YOUR LAWN

To have a lasting green lawn be sure to replenish it each year with a light application of Lawn Seed and a proper feeding of plant food. For a quick start use pulverized, weed-free Sheep-Manure, for best results use 8-6-5 Lawn-Spur Fertilizer, and for a long pull Steamed Bone Meal. For these materials see pages 4 and 5.

Below, from the "Forbes" Lawn Seed



# FORBES LAWN SEED FOR EVERY NEED

The best in seeds and care is essential to have a fine lawn. Forbes quality, known the country over, has set a high lawn standard, and Forbes service is at your disposal at all times.

Many grades of lawn grass seeds of varying qualities are offered for sale. Many contain seeds of worthless character, chaff, and weed seeds. Often a single variety or a blend of two grasses is sold as lawn seed. The best lawn is produced from a mixture of several natural grasses. To be of greatest value, these grasses must be properly proportioned in the mixture so that there is enough of each to serve its specific purpose. The mixtures we offer, made up from special formulæ, are the result of years of experiment and of practical tests. Each mixture will produce a turf ideally suited to each purpose. Complete directions with every package.

#### ELITE LAWN SEED

A very superior blend of only the finest and most desirable separate lawn grasses in such proportion as to produce a perfect lawn, but one which requires no special care such as an all-Bent Mixture. The Elite turf is of very fine texture and splendid deep green color yet is sturdy and withstands normal wear. It lends itself to easy mowing and because of its thick, close root-mat discourages the growth of ordinary weeds. It is not mixed to sell at a fixed price and is better value than cheaper mixtures.

#### Compare this analysis with all others. There's no better mixture at any price. Grows a perfect enduring lawn of which you'll be justly proud.

29.7% 49.0%	Bent, Highland Fescue, Illahee Kentucky Blue Fancy Redtop	Germ. 90% 90% 85% 90%
97.9%	Total purity Weeds Inert matter	

a heavy proportion of the two very finest lawn grasses, viz. the old standby, Kentucky Blue and the new marvel grass, Illahee Fescue, both fine, wear-resistant and permanent. A small percentage of Fancy Redtop gives a quick cover and nurses the others along. Sow 1 lb. per 200 sq. ft. of new lawn, twice that amount for quick results.

Enough Bent to give extra fine texture;

Actual Germination 87.5% 100.0%

Lb. \$1.75; 5 lbs. \$8.50; 10 lbs. \$16.50; 25 lbs. \$40.75; 100 lbs. \$160, delivered

#### THE "FORBES" LAWN SEED

A rapid-growing combination of grasses which produces in from four to six weeks, a permanent lawn capable of withstanding heavy wear. It contains seeds of six dwarf evergreen and perennial grasses of fine lawn texture. Definite proportions of these are mixed very thoroughly. The resultant lawn has a fine, even, rich green appearance and a permanency not usually found. Known for its high quality, it is higher priced than ordinary store mixtures but cheapest in the long run. It contains only heavy, recleaned, live seeds, free from worthless chaff, timothy and weed seeds. No White Clover seed in this mixture.

#### This is our second quality mixture for sunny lawns and is better than many of the first quality mixtures offered. It produces an excellent lawn.

Purity		Germ.
4.9%	Bent, Highland	90%
4.9%	Fescue, Chewings	90%
	Fescue, Illahee	90%
	Kentucky Blue	85%
14.2%	Fancy Redtop	90%
14.8%	Ryegrass, Perennial	90%

96.0% Total purity .3% Weeds 3.7% Inert matter

100.0%

Actual Germination 87.5%

Here is what you get:-enough Bent to give an extra fine texture; almost twothirds of the total in the finest-leaved, permanent and wear-resistant lawn grasses, Chewings Fescue, Illahee Fescue and Kentucky Blue; and enough fineleaved Fancy Redtop to complement the above, and, with the Perennial Ryegrass, to give a quick cover and to nurse the other lawn grasses along. Sow 1 lb. per 200 sq. ft. of new lawn, twice that amount for quick results.

Lb. \$1.55; 5 lbs. \$7.50; 10 lbs. \$14.50; 25 lbs. \$35.75; 100 lbs. \$140, delivered

# FORBES LAWN SEED FOR EVERY NEED

When comparing prices look on the package for the percentage analysis required by Law.

#### BRANCH BROOK PARK LAWN SEED

Recommended for use where the low cost of materials is of more importance than extreme fineness of turf. Will withstand normal wear and has a fine color. We include no White Clover in this mixture.

# This, our cheapest mixture, makes a good lawn but it is not as fine in texture. It serves well for back areas as it better withstands hard wear.

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Purity		Germ.	(
9.8%	Fescue, Chewings	90%	er,
14.5%	Fescue, Meadow	90%	Mε
17.0%	Kentucky Blue	80%	Bh
28.5%	Fancy Redtop	90%	abo
14.9%	Ryegrass, Domestic	90%	ing
9.9%	Ryegrass, Perennial	90%	to a
94.6%	Total purity		hav
.4%	Weeds		in
5.0%	Inert matter		goo

100.0% Actual Germination 88.0%

One-quarter of the total is in the tougher, wear-resistant Chewings Fescue and Meadow Fescue. These, with Kentucky Blue and Fancy Redtop account for about three-quarters of the whole leaving about one-quarter in the Ryegrasses to act as temporary nurse grasses. These, having broader blades, will disappear in time leaving a permanent lawn of good texture. Sow 1 lb. per 100 sq. ft. of new lawn.

Lb. \$1.35; 5 lbs. \$6.50; 10 lbs. \$12.50; 25 lbs. \$30.75; 100 lbs. \$120, delivered

#### SHADY PLACE LAWN SEED

It is difficult to grow grass in the shade and under trees because the trees use up nearly all the food and moisture in the soil. This mixture will thrive better than any other in the shade.

# This mixture contains a great predominance of grasses which thrive naturally in shaded places. The lawn it produces is very excellent.

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Purity		Germ.
4.9%	Bent, Highland	90%
24.5%	Fescue, Chewings	90%
14.8%	Fescue, Illahee	90%
12.8%	Kentucky Blue	80%
19.0%	Fancy Redtop	90%
18.0%	Rough-stalked Meadow	85%
94.0%	Total purity	
.4%	Weeds	
5.6%	Inert matter	
100.0%	Actual Germination 8	37.5%

Enough Bent to give an extra fine texture; nearly five-eighths of the total in shade-loving grasses, namely Chewings Fescue, the new Illahee Fescue, and Rough-stalked Meadow (Poa trivialis); and over one-quarter of the whole in the standbys, Kentucky Blue and Fancy Redtop, the latter providing a quick cover and acting as a nurse grass. Sow 1 lb. per 200 sq. ft. of new lawn, twice that amount for quick results.

Lb. \$1.55; 5 lbs. \$7.50; 10 lbs. \$14.50; 25 lbs. \$35.75; 100 lbs. \$140, delivered

#### TERRACE LAWN SEED

The grasses used for a sloping bank or terrace must have such roots as will withstand the washing caused by heavy rains. These deep roots will better withstand drought during the summer.

A heavy proportion of grasses which root deeply is needed to make a lasting lawn on a terrace where the soil is usually on the dry side.

Lb. \$1.55; 5 lbs. \$7.50; 10 lbs. \$14.50; 25 lbs. \$35.75; 100 lbs. \$140, delivered

#### MERION BLUEGRASS

The new wonder grass that always stays green, thrives under a close mowing, withstands heat, drought and disease and crowds out crabgrass and other weeds. It establishes slowly but is permanent. Sow 1½ lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. ½ lb. \$2.35; lb. \$4.65; 5 lbs. \$23; 10 lbs. \$45.50.

#### MERION BLEND

A special lawn grass mixture designed for the very finest lawns. It contains 40% Merion Bluegrass, 45% Illahee Fescue and 15% Highland Bent. All are fine permanent lawn grasses. Sow 1½ lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. ½lb. \$1.45; lb. \$2.85; 5 lbs. \$14; 10 lbs. \$27.50; 25 lbs. \$67.50.



From our Branch Brook Park Lawn Seed



Sown with our Shady Place Lawn Seed Below, from our Terrace Lawn Seed



For White Clovers and Separate Grass Seeds, see page 43

# FORBES FERTILIZERS AND SOIL-BUILDERS These prices are subject to change without notice

The success of your garden depends upon the quality of the soil. All plants need ample plant-food. By ample is meant not only the quantity but also the availability. The soil must hold plant-food and moisture, yet be in such condition that the plant roots can absorb what is needed. It should be sufficiently rich in humus or decayed vegetation to absorb excess moisture and hold it for later use. It should have enough clay to give it some body and enough sand to make it porous and friable. But even with a perfect soil, plant-food must be added each year to replace that which is consumed. Your soil is of the greatest importance to your gardening success.

Activo. Without odor this quickly converts leaves, garbage, grass clippings or other waste into valuable humus-fertilizer in 3 weeks. No. 2 can treats 400 lbs. compost, \$1; No. 7 treats up to 1700 lbs., \$2,95; No. 20 treats 2 tons, \$5.95.

Adco, Super. For making artificial manure, stack straw, leaves and all other vegetable waste, layer by layer, mix it with Adco and keep it wet until well-rotted. A 20-lb. bag with 12 wheelbarrow loads of garden waste, makes 1/2 ton of manure, 5-lb. pkg. \$1.50; 20-lb. bag \$3.15; 100 lbs, \$14.75.



African Violet Soil. A prepared acid soil for the best culture of African Violets, Begonias, Gloxinias, etc. 11/2 lbs. 25c; 4 lbs. 50c.

African Violet Plant Food, Roigina. Is readily soluble in water. Promotes longer blooming periods, produces more and larger flowers. Envelope of 18 capsules, 35c: 3 for \$1.

AGRINITE. A 100 percent organic fertilizer with 8 percent organic nitrogen which becomes available gradually through a long period. It increases the moisture holding capacity of all soils. It can be applied at any time without danger of burning. Apply 4 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. on lawns, flower beds, etc. 25 lbs. \$1.65; 50 lbs. \$2.95; 80 lbs. \$4.45; 400 lbs. \$21.75; 800 lbs. \$40.



Aluminum Sulphate. Use to acidify the soil for rhododendrons, azaleas, laurel and other sour-soil plants ½ pound per square yard and water thoroughly. To keep Hydrangeas blue, water with 3 oz. Aluminum Sulphate dissolved in 1 gal. 5 lbs. 65c; 10 lbs. \$1.10; 25 lbs. \$2.10; 100 lbs. \$5.75.

BONE MEAL. As it has very long-lasting qualities, this is desirable for fertilizing all hard-wooded plants, including roses, flowering shrubs, fruit bushes, and trees. A liberal application mixed into the soil before planting bulbs of tulips, hyacinths, etc., will result in remarkable size and brilliancy of flowers. For lawns it is a dependable fertilizer, as it contains the essentials that grass requires. For this, use 25 lbs. for every 1000 sq. ft. For trees and vines, use 2 to 4 lbs. each. For roses and potplants, use 1 part to about 50 parts of soil. For field and garden crops or new lawns, use 50 lbs. for every 1000 sq. ft. 5 lbs. 65c; 10 lbs. \$1.15; 25 lbs. \$2.25; 50 lbs. \$3.75; 100 lbs. \$6.65; 500 lbs. \$32; 1000 lbs. \$63. Broadleaf Evergreens. Analysis 6-10-4. A special acid fertilizer for use on Azaleas, Laurel, Rhododendron, Blueberries and other acidloving plants. Supplies needed plant food but also acidifies the soil. Apply 3 lbs, per 100 sq. ft. and water well, 10 lbs. \$1.15; 25 lbs. \$2.20; 50 lbs. \$3:100lbs. \$5,80:500 lbs. \$26; 1000 lbs. \$49,



Buckwheat Hulls, Mul-Tex. This, an ideal mulch for all roses and perennial plants, is porous enough to permit the water to get through the soil and always look neat and attractive. Reduces upkeep because it prevents weeds from growing. 100 lbs. covers 125 sq. ft. one inch deep. 50 lbs. \$2.75; 100 lbs. \$5; 500 lbs. \$24.

Cotton-Seed Meal. Analysis 7-2-2. An all-organic plant food for Azaleas, Laurel, Rhododendron, Holly and all other acid soil plants as it contains 7 per cent Nitrogen and tends to keep the soil acid. 10 lbs. \$1.30; 25 lbs. \$2.40; 50 lbs. \$4.25; 100 lbs. \$7.50; 500 lbs. \$36,50; 1000 lbs. \$70.

COW MANURE. Analysis 2-1-1. Dry, well pulverized and easy to handle, this is an ideal soil-builder and mulch. It is fine for lawn, garden and greenhouse and to mix with compost. Use at same rates as Sheep Manure. 25 lbs. \$1.95; 50 lbs. \$3.10; 100 lbs. \$5.75; 500 lbs. \$26.25; 1000 lbs. \$51.

Cvanamid. Kills weed seeds in surface soil assuring a weed free lawn. After soil is assuming a weed the lawn. After some sturned over or rototilled, graded, fined and raked ready to seed, apply 50 lbs. Cyanamid evenly on each 1000 sq. ft., rake in lightly and water occasionally, If in spring with temperature over 50°F. wait 5 or 6 weeks, or if in the heat of August wait only 3 weeks before seeding. This gives time for the toxic products to convert to plant nutrients and lime. A delay, yes-but your awaited lawn will be weedless. 10 lbs. \$1.85; 25 lbs. \$3.75; 50 lbs. \$6.50; 100 lbs. \$13; 500 lbs. \$65.

Driconure, Analysis 2-1-1. Contains 3/4 cow and poultry manures in dehydrated form, and 1/4 peat moss. This all-organic fertilizer and soil-conditioner is weed free. The peat moss holds the plant-food and moisture until used up by the plant roots. For topdressing old lawns, use 100 lbs. on 1000 sq. ft. For new lawns or flower and rose beds use twice as much. 50 lbs. \$2.30; 100 lbs. \$4.50; 500 lbs. \$22; 1000 lbs. \$42; ton \$82.

Fruitone. A valuable hormone spray to prevent premature dropping of apples and pears. It also will produce more tomatoes of larger size earlier than normal and will give a better set of beans, especially in bad weather, 2 ozs, \$1; 12 ozs, \$5.

#### GARDENFERTILIZER.

Analysis 5-10-5. This is the very best in commercial fertilizers for your vegetables. It is a complete, well-balanced fertilizer containing all food elements needed fordevelopment. In gardens scatter 50 pounds per 1000 sq. ft. and rake in well or mix a little thoroughly in the bottom of the furrow before planting your seeds.



Hoe it into the soil between the rows of plants at the rate of 5 pounds to 100 feet; and repeat each month. 5 lbs. 55c; 10 lbs. 95c; 25 lbs. \$1.70; 50 lbs. \$2.30; 100 lbs. \$4.55; 500 lbs. \$20.50; 1000 lbs. \$38.65.

Hormodin Powder. For plant propagation. Produces better roots faster. Dip moistened stems of cuttings in powder before placing in propagating bed. No. 1, for roses, certain shrubs, most garden, greenhouse plants. 134-oz. size, 50c. Combination Package, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 for all types, 75c.



An organic, non-acid soil builder for your lawn or garden which makes the soil nicely friable, lightens clay soils, binds together sandy soils and helps

hold moisture in all soils. It is odorless, dry and weed free. Fine for fixing potting soil. For new lawns and gardens rake in 200-400 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. and top-dress old lawns with half that much. In moisture proof bags, 80 lbs. \$2.40; 400 lbs. \$11.50. In burlap bags, 100 lbs. \$2.35; 500 lbs. \$10; 1000 Ibs. \$18.50; ton \$33. In bulk, 10 ton minimum truckload to one address within our delivery area, at \$19 per ton.

Hyponex. See Soluble Plant Foods on page 5. Iron (Ferrous) Sulphate. Used to add soluble iron to soil and so correct "Chlorosis" (loss of green color in the foliage) particularly in broad-leaved evergreens where, in a too alkaline soil, the natural iron is not available. Apply equal parts of this and powdered sulphur (for acidifying) using one pound per 100 sq. ft. For quicker results spray foliage with 1 oz. in 2 gals, water to which a catalizer has been added, Lb. 30c; 5 lbs, 95c; 25 lbs, \$3,50; 50 lbs,

Ivy Plant Food. See under Philodendron.

\$6,50; 100 lbs. \$12.

Krilium, Merloam. This soil conditioner helps make clay soils more porous and crumbly. In powder form, 5 lbs. mixed very thoroughly through the top 6 inches of dry soil will cover 40 sq. ft. Lb. \$1.39; 5 lbs. \$4.95; For 500 sq. ft. 6 inches deep use 100% Loamaker Krilium, 10 lbs. \$25.

LAWN FERTILIZER. Analysis 6-10-4, A properly balanced commercial fertilizer for lawns, trees and for shrubs. Top-dress 25 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. when the grass is dry in early spring and again in the fall. On new lawns use 50 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. raked into the surface and water thoroughly at once. 10 lbs. 95c; 25 Ibs. \$1.70; 50 lbs. \$2.55;



100 lbs. \$5; 500 lbs. \$22.50; 1000 lbs. \$42.50.

Lawn-Spur Analysis 8-6-5. In this 60 per-

cent organic lawn food several ingredients release their high nitrogen content successively at different periods of the turf growth. This stimulates very luxuriant, continued growth and makes unnecessary repeated applications. Apply 25 pounds per 1000 sq. ft. and water the lawn immediately after to wash fertilizer off grass and start its action without delay. Because of its high nitrogen content it is also excellent for feeding trees and shrubs. 25 lbs. \$2.30; 50 lbs. \$3.80; 80 lbs. \$5.50: 400 lbs. \$26.50

Lime, Hydrated Agricultural. Corrects soil acidity and opens heavy land. Quickacting but will not burn if scattered evenly in early spring or late fall on gardens or lawns, using 50 lbs, per 1000 sq. ft. one week before fertilizing. 10 lbs. 40c; 50 lbs. 95c; 100 lbs. \$1.85; 500 lbs. \$8.75; ton \$31.

Limestone, Pulverized. Is easier to apply than Hydrated. Does not "gum up" on wet soils, penetrates better and is less likely to burn. Use 80 lbs, per 1000 sq. ft, broadcast early spring and fall, 80-lb, bag 95c; 400 lbs. \$4.50; 800 lbs. \$8.50; ton \$20.

MICHIGAN PEAT. A superior, pulverized pure sedge peat with an almost 3% nitrogen content. It is a natural, 98% organic plant-food, highly active with beneficial bacteria to release the plant food in the soil. Apply 100 lbs. of this excellent soil conditioner on 75 to 100 sq. ft. and work into top 4 inches of soil. Absorbs and holds lots of moisture and releases nitrogen slowly. Its use makes fertilizers more effective. On existing lawns top dress occasionally using at the rate of 100 lbs. to cover 400 sq. ft. of lawn 1/4 inch deep. 25 lbs. \$1.69; 50 lbs. \$2.49; 100 lbs. \$4.49; 500 lbs. \$22.

Miracle-Gro. See Soluble Plant Foods p. 5. Muriate of Potash (Potassium Chloride). Essential for all root crops; fine for peas, beans and for woody-stemmed plants. Use 2 to 5 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. 5 lbs. 65c; 10 lbs. \$1.10; 25 lbs. \$1.95; 100 lbs. \$5.50.

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Nitrate of Soda. A quick plant stimulant. 16% in nitrogen, inducing green growth, For green vegetables side dress 1 lb. per 100 ft. of row and water in. For lawns, use 5 lbs, mixed with four times its bulk of sand per 1000 sq. ft. As liquid use oz. in gal. of water. 5 lbs. 65c; 10 lbs. \$1.10; 25 lbs. \$2.15; 50 lbs. \$3.50; 100 lbs. \$5.95.

ORGANO. All organic, safe, rich and long lasting. It contains unacidulated tankage. castor pomace, bone, poultry and cow manures, rock phosphate and muriate of potash. The analysis is 3% nitrogen, 21% bone phosphate of lime approximating 9% available phosphoric acid, and 3% potash. Unexcelled for rose, perennial and shrub borders when applied 30 lbs. to 250 sq. ft. and worked in from 2 to 4 inches deep, or a trowelful deep into the soil around individual plants. Side dress vegetable rows using 8 lbs. for 100 ft. of row well worked in, or top dress 40 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. 25 lbs. \$1.60; 50 lbs. \$2.60; 100 lbs. \$5; 500 lbs. \$24; 1000 lbs. \$47.

PEAT MOSS. If mixed in the soil it prevents baking and crusting, it improves aeration, lightens and makes the soil more friable and provides a natural reservoir for soil-moisture and all plant-food. For mulching, for summer moisture retention and for winter protection around rose,

evergreen, and peren-nial beds. The quality we offer crumbles very readily. Large 7 cu. ft. bale \$4.15 (19 x 19 x 36 in.; covers 300 sq. ft. 1 inch deep); Junior 4½ cu. ft. bale \$3.35; 2½ cu. ft. bale \$2.25; 3 peck bag \$1.20. If to be delivered large bale \$4.65; Junior bale \$3.7

Philodendron-Ivy Plant Food. The organic contents essential for good growth. will quickly stimulate weak plants to produce luxurious foliage. In handy capsules, envelope of 18 for 35c; 3 for \$1. Plantabbs, Analysis 11-15-20. Are concen-

trated, easy to use.



odorless. Dissolve 1 tablet in a quart of water weekly. Box of 30 tablets 25c; 75 tablets 50c; 200 tablets \$1; 1000 tablets for \$3.50.

Potting Soil. This is specially prepared with humus for easy root penetration, sand for good drainage and enriched with rotted cow manure. 2 gts. 50c; 1/2bu. \$1.95.

Rootone. This plant hormone powder hastens and stimulates the natural tendency for roots to form on cuttings. When dusted on all seeds and bulbs they will produce heavier root systems in less time, especially grass seed. 1/4 oz. 25c; 2 ozs. \$1; lb. \$5.

ROSE FOOD. This analyses 5-10-5. A balanced, highorganic food that nourishes the entire plant by adding vigor and so resistance to disease and insect injury. It produces more and finer roses with better color and size. Use 1/2 pound per rose per application. Apply 3 times per season. Do not feed after mid-September, 5 lbs, \$1; 25 lbs. \$3: 50 lbs. \$5: 100 lbs. \$9.



Salt Hav. For mulching tomato plants, vegetable rows, strawberries, raspberries, etc. Mulch perennials through winter, after ground is frozen hard, to prevent heaving. Bales of odd weights at \$3,50 per 100 lbs.

Sand. For rooting cuttings. Mix with heavy soils to improve the soil drainage. Place about one inch below all bulbs to prevent their rotting, 2 ats. 20c: 1/bu, 90c.

Sequestrene, NAFe. A chelated 12% iron compound soluble in water. Corrects "Chlorosis" due to iron deficiency. Provides an avenue through which the natural iron in the soil is made available to the plant roots. Use 2 to 3 teaspoonfuls per Azalea or Rhododendron, Lb. \$3.

SHEEP MANURE, Analysis 2-1-2, Ouick acting, clean and safe. Contains no weed seeds. For vegetables, rake in 200 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. Broadcast 100 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. over the old lawn or rake in 200 lbs. a day or two before seeding a new one. For liquid manure, use one pound to five gallons of water. 5 lbs. 60c; 10 lbs. 95c; 25 lbs. \$1.95; 50 lbs. \$3.10; 100 lbs. \$5.75; 500 lbs. \$26.25: 1000 lbs. \$51.

Soilife, Wettable. A soil conditioner which makes clay soil more friable by binding together the tiny clay particles into small clumps. Helps prevent sun-crusting of clay soils after rain. Apply one pound, well stirred into 12 gals, of water, to 200 sq. ft. with a sprinkling can. 1/4lb. \$1; 1/2lb. \$1.50; Ib. \$2.75; 2 Ibs. \$5; 12 Ibs. \$28.

Sphagnum Moss, No-damp-off, Greatest help ever for growing seeds in the house or in your frames. This horticultural milled Sphagnum moss promotes highest germination and holds moisture with no damping off. Use it alone or spread a 1/4 inch layer over your regular soil. You will find it amazingly effective and well worth the investment. 10 ozs. 89c; 2 bu, \$3,65.

Super-Phosphate. 18-20% Phosphoric Acid. For lawn roots use 25 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. and water in. For corn, potatoes, root crops, 4 lbs. per 100-ft. row, 5 lbs. 45c; 10 lbs. 80c; 25 lbs. \$1.25; 80 lbs. \$2.60; 400 lbs. \$11.25.

Transplantone. Reduces wilt and loss in transplanting and stimulates growth of new roots when setting out seedlings of all kinds. 1/60z. 25c; 3 ozs. \$1; lb. \$4.

Vermiculite (Terra-Lite). This is a sterile, inert, weedfree, mineral substitute for soil used in starting seeds and rooting cuttings. It contains very tiny air cells which absorb moisture and provide both air and moisture for the development of extra strong root systems. It helps prevent damp off. fungus and most soil-borne



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These tell how to make your soil right and keep it right. A 10-minute test tells more than years of gardening. They show what kind and amount of fertilizer to give your soil, whether lime is needed.

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(hvdroponics). 3 ozs. 25c; 7 ozs. 50c; Ib. \$1.

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# Dwarf Globe Arborvitæ ← ∰ Tall Japanese Yew Japanese Yew Sawara Cypress

Rhododendron

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Azalea Coral Bells clean, fairly priced and not to be compared with mail order or special sale offers. Our evergreens have balled and burlapped root systems and may be planted in your garden with confidence that they will thrive. The sizes offered are those which you may plant yourself without skilled help.

Andromeda, Japanese (Pieris japonica). 4 ft. Pendent white terminal clusters in April-May. Likes acid soil in half shade. 15-18 in. \$6,95; 2-2\(\frac{1}{2}\)6 ft. \$10.95.

Arborvitae, Black (Thuja occidentalis nigra). 8 ft. Dark green pyramid; moist soil; shears well. 2½-3 ft. \$4.95.

Arborvitae, Dwarf Globe (T. occ. globosa). 4 ft. Dwarf

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Arborvitae. Golden (T. orientalis aurea nana). 3 ft. Com-

pact, round; yellow foliage. 15–18 in. \$3.95; 1½-2 ft. \$4.95. Cypress, Dwarf (C. obtusa nana). 4 ft. Slow-growing, dark green, broad pyramid; acid soil. 15–18 in. \$5.95.

Cypress, Dwarf Yellow Plumed (C. plumosa lutescens). 4 ft. Low, broad, round; yellow tipped. 12-15 in. \$2.95.

Cypress, Golden Plumed (C. plumosa aurea). 8 ft. Warm yellow foliage; conical shape; shears well. 2-2½ ft. \$4.50. Cypress, Golden Sawara (C. pisifera aurea). 12 ft. Yellow

foliage in spring; loose pyramid. 2½-3 ft. \$4.95. Cypress, Sawara (C. pisifera). 12 ft. Loose pyramidal form;

shears well; very hardy.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  3 ft. \$5.50.

Firethorn (Pyracantha coccinea Lalandi). 10 ft. Bright

Firethorn (Pyracantba coccinea Lalandi). 10 ft. Bright orange berries in the fall; likes sun. 12–18 in. \$3.75.

Hemlock, Canadian (Tsuga canadensis). 15 ft. Feathery pyramid; likes shade; makes hedges; shears well. 2–2½ ft. size \$6.25; 2½–3 ft. \$8.75.

Holly, American (Hex opaca). 45 ft. Pyramidal form; spined leaves; likes moist, acid soil, part shade. Red berries in fall-winter borne by female plants but only if male plant, to pollinate female, is nearby. Female plants, 1½–2 ft. \$5,95; male, 15–18 in. \$4,95.

Holly, Boxleaf Japanese (I. convexa). 3-4 ft. Small oval foliage; flat round bush; shears well. 12-15 in. \$4.95.

Holly, Littleleaf Japanese (I. microphylla). 5-6 ft. Oval smaller leaf; round bush; shears well. 1½-2 ft. \$7.95.

Holly, Roundleaf Japanese (I. rotundifolia). 6-8 ft. Big glossy globes; fine for hedges. 15-18 in. \$5.95.

Juniper, Creeping (J. borizontalis). 8 in. A gray-green ground cover; spreading. 15-18 in. across. \$5.95.

Juniper, Pfitzer's (J. chinensis Pf.). 5-6 ft. Gray-green, feathery; low spreading habit. 145-2 ft. across \$6.25.

Juniper, Sargent's (J. chinensis Sargenti). 2 ft. Prostrate, low, spreading; green foliage. 1½-2 ft. across \$7.95.

Juniper, Spiny Greek (J. excelsa stricta). 5-6 ft. Gray-green, compact, dense pyramid; fine for tubs. 15-18 in. \$2.95; 13-2 ft. \$3.50.

**Leucothoe, Drooping** (L. Catesbaei). 4-5 ft. Waxy white flower racemes in May; large green leaves turn bronze-red in fall. Likes moist soil. 15-18 in. \$4.95.

Mountain Laurel (Kalmia latifolia). 5 ft. Pinkish white flowers in June for sun or part shade in acid soil. 15–18 in, \$4.95; 13/–2 ft. \$6.25.

Rhododendron, Carolina (R. carolinianum). 5 ft. Rosepink flowers, May-June; likes shade. 15-18 in. \$6,25.

Rhododendron, Catawba (R. catawbiense). 6 ft. Rosepurple flowers, May-June; shade. 15-18 in. \$6.25.

Rhododendron, Rosebay (R. maximum). 8 ft. Glossy foliage; light pink flowers, May-June. 1½-2 ft. \$5.95.

Rhododendron, Hybrid Crimson (R. caractacus). 5 ft. Nice crimson. The hybrids like some sun but soil must be acid. 15–18 in. \$6.95; 1½–2 ft. \$8.95.

Rhododendron Hybrid Pink (R. roseum superbum). 5 ft. Beautiful pink; part shade; acid soil. 15-18 in. \$6.95.

Rhododendron, Hybrid White (R. Cunningbami). 5 ft. Pure white flowers, May-June. 15-18 in. \$6.95.

Spruce, Norway (Picea excelsa). 10 ft. Dark green; neat, pyramidal habit; shears well; moist soil. 1½-2 ft. \$3.75.

Yew, Compact Japanese (Taxus cuspidata compacta).
3 ft. Dark green; spreading habit; the neatest of all; shears well. 15-18 in. across \$5.95.

Yew, Dwarf Japanese (T. cuspidata nana). 3 ft. Very dark green; irregular spreading. 12-15 in. across \$4.95.

Yew, Hicks (T. media Hicksi). 6 ft. Upright growth; big

red berries in fall.  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 ft. \$5.95;  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. \$7.95. Yew, Japanese (T. cuspidata). 6 ft. Dark green; spreading,

bushy habit. 1½-2 ft. across \$6.95.

Yew, Tall Japanese (T. cuspidata capitata). 10 ft. Dark

Yew, Tall Japanese (*T. cuspidata capitata*). 10 ft. Dark green, pyramidal form. Use for tall points in foundation plantings. 2–2½ ft. \$10.95.

#### FORBES HARDY EVERGREEN AZALEAS

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Many home owners welcome help in selecting evergreens. We are ready to suggest suitable types for your purpose and to assure you of their worth. All are of the finest quality, nursery-grown for best development.

There are few garden effects which surpass the beauty of Hardy Azaleas. When covered with bloom in May and early June they present a sight long to be remembered. Those below are hardy here if (1) planted in acid peaty soil with excellent drainage, (2) heavily mulched and never cultivated, (3) deeply watered in summer and late fall. They grow to a height of 3 to 5 feet.

Cherry Red. Use with Hinodegiri; same carmine-scarlet but blooms later. 10-12 in. \$2.95; 12-15 in. \$3.95.

Coral Bells. Small, deep green foliage and a wealth of coral-pink flowers. 8-10 in. \$2.25; 12-15 in. \$3.95.

Dwarf Orange. A shorter-growing variety with large flowers of soft orange. 12-15 in. \$3.95.

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Mozart. The contrast of the fuchsia-pink flowers and deep green foliage is effective. 12-15 in. \$3.95.

Othello. This has deep green, glossy, evergreen foliage and a profusion of soft brick-red flowers. 12-15 in. \$3.95.

White. Covered with beautiful, large, pure white flowers. 8-10 in. \$2.25; 12-15 in. \$3.95; 15-18 in. \$4.95.

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Among the flowering shrubs which thrive in this locality there are many different habits of growth, flower forms and blooming periods. By careful selection choose those most effective for your purpose to give a sequence of color to brighten and contrast with your evergreens. We offer only those shrubs which will give sure results. To make more certain of your success and satisfaction, our shrubs are established in large pots of soil so they may be set out in your garden without loss or setback.

Abelia, Glossy (A. grandiflora). 3-5 ft. Shell-pink bells, June-Nov. Likes light peaty soil, sun. 15 in. \$2.15.

Almond, Pink-flowering (Prunus glandulosa). 6 ft. Rosepink flowers in May; good soil in sun. 3-4 ft. \$1.95.

Beauty-Bush (Kolkwitzia amabilis). 6 ft. Pink flowers in June. Likes sun, good drainage. 2-3 ft. \$1.65.

Butterfly-Bush (Buddleia). 6 ft. Fragrant spires, July-Nov. Likes sun, good soil. Each March cut back to ground. Three colors: Fascinating, pink-lavender; Flaming Violet, Imperial purple; and Fortune, lilac. 2-yr. each \$1.10.

Caryopteris, Blue Mist (Blue Spirea). 3 ft. Powder-blue flowers, Sept. Oct. Likes sun, good drainage. Cut back to ground in March. 2 yr. \$1.10.

Chaste-Tree (Vitex macrophylla). 5 ft. Lavender-blue flowers from July to October. Likes sun, slightly acid soil. Cut back in March. 2 yr. \$1.65.

Coralberry (Symphoricarpos orbiculatus). 4 ft. White bells, June-July; likes dry shade; coral-red berries Oct. through winter. 2-3 ft. \$1.65.

Cotoneaster, Rock (C. borizontalis). 18 in. Trailing, pink flowers, in June; red berries in Sept.; likes sun. \$2.95.

Daphne Cneorum (Garland-Flower). 15 in. Very fragrant, pink flowers in April–May; drained, sandy, near neutral soil in sun. 7-9 in. across. \$2.25.

Deutzia, Lemoine (D. Lemoinei). 4 ft. Large white masses, May; well-drained soil; part shade or sun. 2-3 ft. \$1.75.

Deutzia, Rose (D. rosea). 3 ft. Pink clusters in May. Likes good drainage in sun. 2-3 ft. \$1.75.

Deutzia, Slender (D. gracilis). 3 ft. Arching branches, white flowers in May; sun or part shade. 15-18 in. \$1.65.

Euonymus, Winged (E. alatus). 6 ft. Yellow flowers in May; deep rose foliage in fall. 1½–2 ft. \$1.95.

Forsythia, Spring Glory. 6 ft. Pale yellow bells in April; likes sun or shade; tolerates dry soil. 3-4 ft. \$1.95.

Hollygrape, Oregon (Mabonia aquifolium). 3 ft. Yellow spikes in April-May; red foliage in fall. Likes dry, sandy soil in shade. 12-15 in. \$3.95.

Jasmine, Winter (J. nudiflorum). 4-5 ft. Yellow flowers in April-May; likes good drainage. 1½-2 ft. \$1.75.

Lilac (Syringa vulgaris). 8-12 ft. Fragrant flower panicles in June. All like limed soil in sun. Prune out suckers; cut off faded flowers. Ellen Willmott, white; Katherine Havemeyer, nauve; Ludwig Spaeth, purple; President Grevy, Iilac-blue. Each, 2-3 ft. \$3.25. Mock-Orange, Coronarius (*Philadelphus*). 8 ft. Fragrant white single flowers in June; limed soil; sun. 3 4 ft. \$1.85. Mock-Orange, Virginalis (*Phila*). 7-9 ft. Double white flowers in June, fragrant; likes lime, sun. 2-3 ft. \$1.65.

Quince, Red-flowering (Cydonia japonica rubra). 3 ft. Red flowers in April; neutral soil in sun. 13/2-2 ft. \$2.45.

Redbud, Chinese (Cercis japonica). 10-12 ft. Purplish pink clusters in May; sunny, rich soil. 1½-2 ft. \$2.45. Rose of Sharon (Hibiscus syriacus). 10 12 ft. Hollyhock-like flowers in Aug.; either sun or part shade in neutral,

like flowers in Aug.; either sun or part shade in neutral, moist soil. Lady Stanley, double pink splashed with carmine; Jeanne d'Are, double white; Rubis, single dark violet-red. Each, 3 4 ft. \$1.75.

Smoke-Tree (Rhus Cotinus). 12-15 ft. Huge plumey clouds of purple, fuzzy flowers in July Aug. Likes light soil in sun, 2-3 ft. \$1.95.

Snowberry, White (Symphoricarpos albus). 4 ft. Pink flowers in Aug.; white berries in fall and winter. Likes moist half shade, limed soil. 2 · 3 ft. \$1.65.

Spirea, Anthony Waterer. 3 ft. Rose-crimson terminal flowers from June-Sept.; sun or part shade. 1½–2 ft. \$1.65. Spirea Vanhouttei. 5–6 ft. White flower clusters in May–June; sun or part shade; neutral soil. 2 3 ft. \$1.25.

St. Johnswort, Golden (Hypericum aureum). 3 ft. Large, golden yellow flowers in July-Aug.; blue-green leaves; likes well-drained, neutral soil, part shade. 2-3 ft. \$1.85.

Summersweet or Sweet Pepperbush (Clethra alnifolia). 4 5 ft. Fragrant white terminal spikes, July-Sept.; likes moist acid soil in shade. 2-2½ ft. \$1.85.

Sweet-Shrub (Calycanthus floridus). 4 5 ft. Spicy, fragrant, reddish brown flowers, June-July; likes fairly moist, neutral soil in sun or part shade. 2-3 ft. \$1.85.

Viburnum, Doublefile (V. tomentosum). 8-10 ft. Flat white flower heads in May-June; oval black fruit in fall. Likes sunny, neutral soil. 3 4 ft. \$2.25.

Viburnum, Fragrant (V. Carlesi). 4-5 ft. Round, fragrant clusters of waxy pink in April-May; likes sunny, well-drained, neutral soil. 15-18 in. \$4.25.

Weigela, Pink (W. rosea). 6-8 ft. Rose-pink flowers in May-June. Likes sunny, rich, well-drained, neutral soil. If strong branches are shortened occasionally, will bloom through summer. 2-3 ft. \$1.75.

Weigelä, Upright Red (W. Vaniceki, Red). 6-8 ft. Red flowers in May June; likes sunny, neutral, well-drained soil. Don't crowd when planting. 2-3 ft. \$1.75.

#### FORBES FLOWERING TREES

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**Crab, Bechtel's Double-flowering** (Malus ioensis). 12 ft. Slow growing; pink flowers in June. 5-6 ft. \$12.95.

**Dogwood, Pink** (Cornus florida rosea). 15 ft. Pink flowers in May; red berries in Sept. Likes moist, gravelly, slightly acid soil. 4-5 ft. \$13.95.

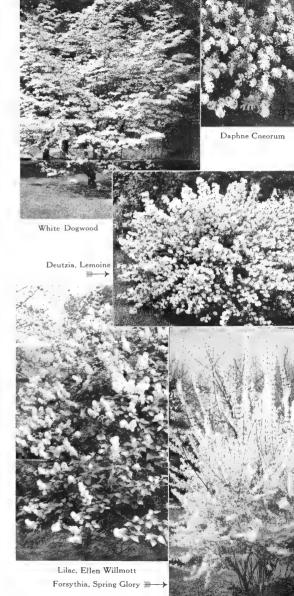
Dogwood, White (Cornus florida). 15 ft. The popular white-flowering small tree for May bloom; red berries in Sept. Likes slightly acid, moist soil. 5-6 ft. \$12.95.

Magnolia, Pink Star (M. stellata rosea). 12 ft. Pink star flowers in April; rich, very acid soil. 2½-3 ft. \$13.95.

Magnolia, Saucer (M. Soulangeana). 12 ft. White to purplish pink blooms in May; acid soil. 4-5 ft. \$12.95.

Magnolia, Star (M. stellata). 12 ft. White star flowers in April. Likes very acid, rich soil. 2½-3 ft. \$13.95.

Plum, Double-flowering (Prunus triloba). 8 ft. Double pink flowers in April-May; likes sun. 3½-4 ft. \$3.45.



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Tomatoes are ready after May 1, Eggplants, Peppers about May 15, the rest about April 15. There are about 60 in a flat of Eggplants, 70 in a flat of the others.

Broccoli, Green Sprouting. Brussels Sprouts, Catskill. Cabbage, Copenhagen Market. Cauliflower, Reliance. Celery, King Pascal (green). Eggplant, Black Beauty. Kohlrabi, White Vienna. Lettuce, Bibb. Lettuce, Great Lakes (Iceberg). Lettuce, White Boston. Lettuce, Romaine Cos. Parsley, Double Curled.
Pepper, California Wonder.
Tomato, Beefsteak, Early Jersey,
Marglobe, new Queens, Rutgers,
Golden Jubilee, and Red Plum.

Flat-grown Vegetable Plants above, 65c per doz.; \$2.35 per flat.

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Cucumber, Burpee Hybrid Eggplant, Black Beauty Muskmelon, Gold. Delight Parsley. Double Curled Pepper, Calif. Wonder Squash, Acorn Butternut Green Zucchini Tomato, Beefsteak Burpee Hybrid Cherry (Cocktail) Early Jersey Tomato, Golden Jubilee Marglobe and Queens Rutgers (Certified) Watermelon, R. I. Red

All from 3-in. pots, Each 20c; 3 for 55c; \$1.80 per doz.; 50 or more at \$14 per 100

Asparagus Roots, Mary Washington. Dark green tinged purple. Set 6-12 in. apart with buds a half-inch below surface, in rich well drained soil in a single row, even at back of flower bed or property edge. Keep mulched. Cut sparingly first year. 2-year roots, 25 for \$1.45; 50 for \$2.65; 100 for \$4.75.

Rhubarb Roots, MacDonald. Thin-skinned, bright red stalks of low acidity and delicate flavor. Vigorous, Set 2 ft. apart in rows 3 ft. apart in heavily manured, rich soil. Keep flower stalks cut back. Each 75c; 3 for \$2,

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Red foliage. Flat of 12 plants		\$1 75	Gold Crest. Gold-yellow. 9 in \$	0 66	@2 2E		60	en 25		0 60	@2 25
Ageratum, Dwarf Blue. For		DI / )		0 05	\$4 32	A new pure white, 12 in \$0	05	\$2 35	For cutting; borders. 21/2 ft.\$	05	\$2 35
	2 00	2 60	Lemondrop. Fine new lemon		0.00	Velvet Ball. Deep blood red			Snapdragon, Half Dwarf Mxd.		
edgings, rock gardens. 6 in \$0	) 80	2 60	yellow, cutting. 9 in	65	2 35	2½ in. flowers; neat. 10 in.	70	2 75	For borders, cutting. 18 in	65	2 35
Alyssum, Dwarf White. For	65	2.25	Scarlet Glow. Deep scarlet			Violacea. Deep violet-blue of			Half Dwarf, Black Prince.		
margins, rock gardens. 6 in	05	2 35	aging rich tangerine. 10 in	65	2 35	good size; uniform. 13 in	65	2 35	Dark black-crimson. 18 in	75	3 00
Royal Carpet. Vibrant pur-			Spry. Mahogany-red, yellow			Mixed. Nicely balanced colors			Super Giants Mixed. Largest		
ple. Plants 10 in. across. 3 in.	75	3 00	centers for borders. 9 in	65	2 35	for bright borders. 12 in	65	2 35	of all, huge flowers. 3 ft	65	2 35
Aster, American Beauty Mixed.			Sunkist. Rounded, deep golden			Petunia, Large. Comanche. A			Super Giant, Crimson, Has		
Wilt-resistant. Cutting. 3 ft.	65	2 35	orange overall. 9 in	65	2 35		00	3 50	dark stem, foliage. 3 ft	75	3 00
Aster, Branching in Colors.			Marigold, Dwarf Single. Flash,			Dazzler. Deep brilliant rose-	00	3 30	Stocks, Giant Bismarck Mixed.		
Lavender, Purple, Rose,			Tangerine-red-bronze, 14 in.	65	2 35	scarlet. 12 in	80	2 60	Fragrant, in pastels. 2 ft	65	2 35
Shell-pink or White. 3 ft	75	3 00	Sunny. Bright yellow, 2-inch			Dwarf Elk's Pride, Big rich	00	2 00	Torenia, Fournieri. Sky-blue		
Browallia, speciosa major.			flowers, waved edges. 15 in.	65	2 35	deep violet-blue. 12 in	80	2 60	snap flowers; edging. 10 in	80	2 60
Bright blue edgings. 12 in	80	2 60	Marigold, Large. Guinea Gold.			Popcorn. Huge white, waved	00	2 00	Verbena, Dwarf Mixed. Bright	00	2 00
Calendula, Lemon Beauty, A			Double orange-gold. 2 1/2 ft	65	2 35		00	2 50	colored flower heads. 8 in	65	2 35
splendid cutting sort. 18 in.	65	2 35	Glitters. Large golden yellow	0,5	2 37		00	3 50	Verbena, in Separate Colors.	0)	4 37
Carnation, Giant Mixed. For			incurved petals. 2½ ft	65	2 35	Snowstorm. Big white, waved	0.0	2 (0	Rose-red, Lavender, Dark		
borders and cutting. 20 in	65	2 35	Limelight. Deep cream color.	05	4 35		80	2 60	Blue or White. 8 in	75	3 00
Centaurea, Dwarf Double Ju-			incurved petals. 20 in	65	2 35	Petunia, Ruffled. Ballerina. A			Zinnia. Burpee Hybrids Mixed.	15	3 00
bilee Gem, deep blue. 1 ft	65	2 35		05	2 35	fringed deep salmon-pink 1	00	3 50		60	2 35
Dwarf Double Mixed. All the	0,5	2 0 ,	Sunset Giants, Mixed. Shades	65	2.25	Dwarf Giants of California. A			Huge shaggy, pastels. 3 ft	05	2 35
available colors. 1 ft	65	2 35	of orange and yellow. 4 ft	05	2 35		80	2 60	Dwarf Double Mixed. Flowers	-	0.25
Blue Boy. Large, double deep	0,5	2 05	Yellow Supreme. Carnation-	60	0 25	Prima Donna. Huge fringed			2 inches across, 18 in	00	2 35
blue Cornflowers. 21/2 ft	65	2 35	like, cream-yellow. 2½ ft	65	2 35	bright rose-pink. 12 in 1	00	3 50	Dwarf Double, in Colors.		
Super Giant Mixed. Contains	0,5	2 37	Nicotiana affinis, White. Fra-			Petunia, All-Double. Mixed.			Canary yellow, Rose, Deep		2 00
all the available colors. 2½ft.	65	2 35	grant, fine in masses. 3 ft	80	2 60	(24 plants per flat.) 12 in 1	75	3 00	red, Salmon, White. 18 in	15	3 00
Cosmos, Sensation Mixed. Con-	0,5	2 37	Daylight Mixed. All of the			Portulaca, All-Double Mixed.			Fantasy Mixed. Shaggy, ray-		
tains pink, red, white. 4 ft	65	2 35	bright new shades. 2½ ft	80	2 60		65	2 35	like curled petals. 2½ ft	65	2 35
Dahlia, Unwin's Dwarf Mixed.	0,5	2 37	Petunia, Balcony. Mixed. For			Salpiglossis, Candelabra Mxd.	0)	2 37	Giant Mixed. Huge double		
For borders, cutting. 2 ft	90	2 60	window boxes, walls. 18 in.	65	2 35		00	2 60	in attractive colors. 3 ft	65	2 35
Dimorphotheca Mixed. Gold	80	2 00		0,5	2 57		ου	2 60	Giant in Separate Colors.		
	00	2 60	Petunia, Dwarf Bedding. Blue			Salvia, Farinacea Blue Bedder.			Canary yellow, Rose, Dark		
salmon, white Daisies. 1 ft.	80	2 00	Mound. Mid-blue. 12 in	65	2 35		80	2 60	red, Salmon or White. 3 ft	75	3 00
Gaillardia, Double Lorenziana.		0.25	Fire Chief. Spectrum-red and			Bonfire, (Scarlet Sage). Vivid			Lilliput, Pastel Mixed. Deeply		
Mixed balled flowers. 18 in	05	2 35	scarlet-red glow. 12 in	65	2 35		80	2 60	globed, double. 15 in	65	2 35
Larkspur, Supreme Mixed. A	CF	0.25	Rosy Morn. Bright rosy pink			Fireworks. Very early of the			Peppermint Stick Mixed, New		
must for cutting. 3 ft	05	2 35	with white throat. 10 in	65	2 35		80	2 60	striped, two toned. 2 ft	65	2 35
Lobelia, Dwarf Blue Stone. Neat		0.05	Silver Medal. Deep salmon;			Welwyn Mixed. Lilac, pink,			Tom Thumb Mixed. Perfect		
edgings, rock gardens. 6 in	65	2 35	salmon-cerise sheen. 12 in	80	3 25		95	3 00	for edging, compact. 8 in	65	2 35
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## FORRES POT-GROWN FLOWER PLANTS

These plants are unusually well-rooted and established in pots of ample size for fine development. They will, without any check, continue their sturdy growth in your flower bed or window box. In comparing with other offers please note that our pot sizes are larger than is usual assuring you of heavier, stronger root systems.

Begonia, Double Camellia-flowered. Fine for shaded window boxes and borders. Beautiful waxy, Camellialike, flowers in lovely shades. Fine for cutting. Ht. 1 ft. In Rose, Salmon, Scarlet, White and Yellow. 4-in. pots. 55c each; 3 for \$1.50; \$5.50 per doz.

Begonia, Bedding. For dwarf beds, edgings. Waxy leaves, abundant bloom. Ht. 10 in. Bright Pink, Red, or White in 3-in. pots. 35c each; 3 for \$1; \$3.50 per doz.

Begonia, Lloydi. Trailing, for hanging baskets, window boxes or rock gardens in half or full shade, with 3-inch flowers all summer. Rose, Scarlet, White and Yellow. 4-in, pots, 55c each; 3 for \$1.50; \$5.50 per doz.

Caladium, Fancy-Leaved. Foliage plants for half-shade or shade. Ht. 15 in. 4-in. pots. 75c each; 3 for \$2.10.

Canna. For sunny beds. City of Portland (pink), Eureka (white), King Humbert (orange-scarlet; bronze leaves), President (red), Yellow King Humbert. In 5-in. pots. 3 for \$1.35; \$4.75 per doz.; \$35 per 100.

Coleus, Bedding Mixed. Varied forms for bright sunny border edgings. 3-in. pots. \$2.50 per doz.; \$19 per 100.

Dahlia, Unwin's Dwarf Mixed. Beautiful for borders or cutting. Ht. 2 ft. 4-in. pots. 45c each; \$4.25 per doz.

Daisy, Boston Yellow. (Marguerite). Long lasting, light yellow. 3-in. pots. 40c each; 3 for \$1.10; \$3.75 per doz. Fuchsias. For half shade in light soil. Fine for porch boxes

and borders. Bloom all summer. In several varieties. 4-in. pots. 75c each; 3 for \$2.10; \$7.50 per doz.

Geraniums, Salmon-pink, Light red, Dark red, and White, 4-in, pots. Price to be established May 1st.

HERB PLANTS

Here is a nice selection of the most useful plants for your Herb Garden. Those in the first group are either annuals or tender perennials and will not live over winter here. For

herbs more easily grown from seed, see under Vegetable Seed.

PLANT THESE EVERY YEAR

Basil. Sweet. Broad-leaved. Spicy tasting leaves for salads

Rosemary. Fragrant odor and warm pungent taste for

Summer Savory. Dried leaves and flower-tops for dress-

Sweet Marjoram. Young tender leaves are good in salads

and when dried for flavoring soups, etc.

flavoring meats, stews and for seasoning.

ings: flavoring meats. When green for salads.

and when dried flavor soups, dressings, etc.

Gourds, Small Varieties Mixed. When vine is 7 ft. long, cut off end of main stem to induce branches to bear fruit. 3-in. pots. 25c each; 3 for 60c; \$2 per doz.

Heliotrope, True Royal Fragrance. For window boxes, borders. Very fragrant, 4-in, pots, 50c each; 3 for \$1,35,

Impatiens, Holsti. Nice for continuous bloom throughout summer in shaded borders Ht. 11/2 ft., 21/4 in. pots. Deep Pink, Red or White. Any of these colors, 35c each; 3 for \$1; \$3.50 per doz.

Lantana, For sun, Deep Pink, Orange, Red, Yellow, White, 4-in, pots, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; \$4.75 per doz.

Morning-Glory, Heavenly Blue, huge sky-blue; Pearly Gates, white: Candy Pink, salmony rose-pink, 3-in. pots. 25c each; 3 for 60c; \$2 per doz.

Nemesia, Dwarf Mixed. The orchid-like flowers come in delightful pastels and bright colors for edging. Ht. 9 in. In 3-in. pots. 35c each; 3 for \$1; \$3.50 per doz.

Petunia, All-Double Dwarf, Mixed. Very large, double, fringed flowers in rose, purple, burgundy, pink, salmon, mauve, and white on dwarf, compact plants. Ht. 1 ft. 4-in, pots. 50c each: 3 for \$1.35; \$4.75 per doz.

Phlox Drummondi, Dwarf Mixed. Pastel colors in full sun all summer. Ht. 6 in. In 21/4-in. pots. 25c each; 3 for 60c; \$2 per doz.

Rose Geranium. Fragrant house or border plants. 4-in. pots. Pink. 45c each; 3 for \$1.20; \$4.25 per doz.

Vinca variegata. Green- and white-leaved trailing, for window boxes. 4-in. pots. 55c each; 3 for \$1.50; \$5.50 per doz.

# GIANT PANSY PLANTS

#### Growing in flats of soil

Here's a new service plants of our Giantflowered Pansies grown one dozen to a soil flat, all ready to set out in your garden. Unlike the early bedding Pansies sold in baskets which have a relatively short season of bloom, these will continue to produce their huge blooms, if planted in full sun or half shade, right up to late fall and early winter.

Super Swiss Giants, Mixed. This by far surpasses in quality and range of color any other Giant Pansy mixture. The plants are more compact and most of the flowers are beautifully frilled. They are of perfect form, with thick, velvety, rounded petals in a colorrange beyond belief-bronze, silver, gold, copper-wine-red, pink, salmon, silver-grey, brown, Indian red, steel-blue, dark blue and yellow. \$1.75 per flat of 12 plants. 3 flats for \$4.95.

# Petunia, All Double Dwart



Pansy

Super Swiss

Giants

Begonia, Double Camellia-Fld.

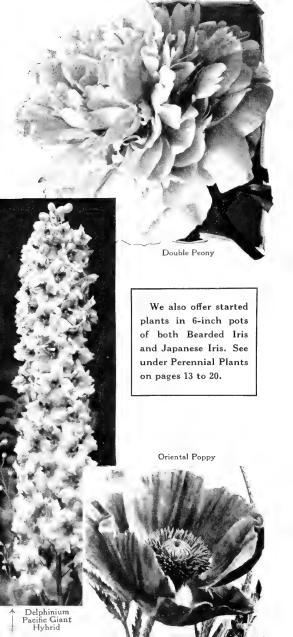


#### All above, in 3-in. pots, 20c each; \$1.80 doz. THESE LIVE YEAR AFTER YEAR

Asperula odorata (Sweet Woodruff). 55c each; 3 for \$1.50. Chives. To flavor cheese, soups, stews. 45c each; 3 for \$1.20. Lavender (Lavandula Spica). 55c each; 3 for \$1.50. Monarda (Bergamot). In 4 colors. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35. Nepeta (Catnip). Pungent odor. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35. Peppermint. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

Sage (Salvia officinalis). Seasoning. 55c each; 3 for \$1.50. Santolina, incana or viridis. For edging. \$6 per doz. Tarragon, True French. For vinegar. 55c each; 3 for \$1.50. Thyme (Thymus vulgaris). Seasoning. 55c each; 3 for \$1.50. Valeriana. White or Rose. 55c each; 3 for \$1.50.

For above also see pages 13 to 20



### DELPHINIUM PLANTS IN POTS

Whether in background border groups or above the pure whiteness of Madonna lilies, Delphiniums raise their proud majestic spikes in June for your sheer enjoyment. They are perfectly hardy.

Belladonna Improved or Cliveden Beauty. This is a marked improvement over the original strain, with loose spikes of large flowers of iridescent, light turquoise-blue on plants 4 feet high. One of the easiest to grow and delightful for cutting. Bellamosum Improved. Really a dark blue form of the Belladonna, this is very uniform in color with loose spikes, often

½ inches across. They are excellent for June cut flowers and grow from 3 to 4 feet high. Blackmore and Langdon's Giant Exhibition Hybrids. Developed by the English specialists, these grow to a height of 6 feet with solid, erect spikes of very large florers in delightful shades of blue, mauve, lavender, lilac, violet and purple. Hollyhock-flowered Wrexham Hybrids. Another English strain with flowers of superb size, exquisitely proportioned on tapered, 6-foot spires. The florets come in lovely tones of blue, mauve, lilac, purple and violet in wonderful variations.

Any of the above 4, 75c each; 3 for \$2.10; \$7.80 per doz. established in 6-inch pots

Pacific Giant Hybrids. Huge, 21/2-inch florets, nearly all double, evenly spaced on compact, tapering, 6 to 7-foot spikes. They are mildew-resistant. In separate colors: Astolat, mostly pink shades; Black Knight, dark blue, black bee: Blue Bird, mid-blue, white bee; Galahad, all white; King Arthur, violet, white bee; and Summer Skies, light blue, white bee. Any of the 6 Pacific Giants, 95c each; 3 for \$2.70; \$10.25 per doz. in 6-inch pots

Culture: Delphinium require excellent drainage and very deep soil, enriched with rotted manure for good root development. They thrive best in a light to medium soil which must be alkaline. To maintain this condition apply pulverized limestone lightly on the surface two or three times a season. Locate them in sun and feed with a 5-10-5 fertifizer in March. You will have best results if you start with pot-grown plants. After the June bloom has faded, cut the stalks back just above the leaves. After 3 weeks' rest, feed again with fertilizer. The new growth, thinned to 4 strong shoots, will bloom in fall.

#### DOUBLE PEONY PLANTS IN POTS

As individual clumps or in borders in front of shrubbery they are magnificent in flower and handsome in foliage throughout the season. They can be depended upon to bloom for many, many years. In 7x9 in. pots.

Auguste Dessert. 8.7. A pretty rose-red which is narrowly edged with silver. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.95.

Festiva Maxima. 9.3. Early white with crimson center markings. \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.35.

Frances Willard. 9.1. A very beautiful, full double variety

with blush white petals. \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.35.

Karl Rosenfield. 8.8 Free-blooming; bright crimson flowers. \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.35.

Katherine Havemeyer. 9.0. Soft flesh pink full double. \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.35.

Longfellow. 9.0. Full, of distinct fadeless bright crimson. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.95.

Mary Brand. 8.7. Fragrant dark crimson-red double flowers. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.95.

Mons. Martin Cahuzac. 8.8. Dark purple-garnet, black reflex. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.45.

Primevere. 8.6. Deep creamy yellow with sulphur yellow center. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.95.

Sarah Bernhardt. 9.0. Deep rose-pink, fragrant tipped

silver. \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.35. Solange. 9.7. Waxy white with orange and gold brown

center. \$1.59 each; 3 for \$4.35.

Walter Faxon. 9.3. Free blooming; delightful salmon-rose flowers. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.95.

#### SPECIES DOUBLE PEONY PLANTS

To lengthen the season of Peony bloom add these delightfully fragrant species to your Peony planting. They come to bloom 2 to 3 weeks earlier than the regular varieties.

Officinalis Alba plena. An early Officinalis Rosea plena. A bright Officinalis Rubra plena. The earldouble very fragrant white. pink counterpart to the others. iest of all with rich red flowers. In 7 x 9-inch pots, any of the 3 varieties, \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.45

Culture: Plant 3 feet apart in a fertile, well-drained, moderately heavy, deep soil in a sunny or lightly shaded location. Dig a hole 2 to 2 1/2 feet wide and 2 feet deep. Mix half the soil with plenty of old, well-rotted manure and a 4-inch potful of bonemeal. Backfill this and tamp down hard. Thoroughly mix the remaining half of soil with a shovelful of wood ashes, a handful of bonemeal, a lot of humus and a little limestone. Backfill and tamp hard. Further settle with water for a few days. Set our Potted Plants with the soil level of pot even with garden soil level. Set wire rings on stakes to support plants.

#### ORIENTAL POPPIES IN POTS

These make bright color accents and are striking against a dark green hedge or evergreens. All they ask is lots of sun and a well-drained rich soil. Each year they will reward you in late May and June. Ht. 3 ft.

Barr's White. Large, pure white sating flowers with strongly contrasting purplish black centers.

Betty Ann. Flowers of La France pink without blotches, freely produced on strong, robust plants. Big Jim. Huge flowers of deep maroon on strong free-

flowering plants.

Cerise Beauty. Free-flowering plants with cerise-rose blooms; black-purple centers.

Flashy Glow. Large bright golden vellow flowers with a suffusion of orange.

Gold of Ophir. Dwarfer plants, 26 inches high, with big golden orange flowers. Henry Cayeaux Improved. Large old rose shaded bur-

gundy; perfect in light shade. Hercules. Tremendous, true scarlet flowers on sturdy plants.

31/2 feet high. Joyce. Big soft red with a suffusion of cherry-red on tall,

strong plants. Wurtembergia. Tremendously large flowers of a cerisescarlet with big black centers.

In 6-inch pots, any of the 10 varieties, 80c each; 3 for \$2.25; \$8.40 per doz.

# HARDY GARDEN CHRYSANTHEMUMS

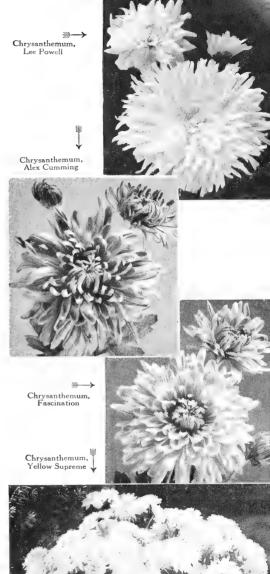
There is nothing to excel these in satisfaction or to bring color to the garden in the fall of the year. They like rich soil, lots of sun and water. The varieties offered below are the best in color and type, and will make a tremendous show for a small outlay. You can make your own selection and take them with you, or send in your order and we will deliver, if you live within our delivery area. See Free Delivery on pages 1 and 5.

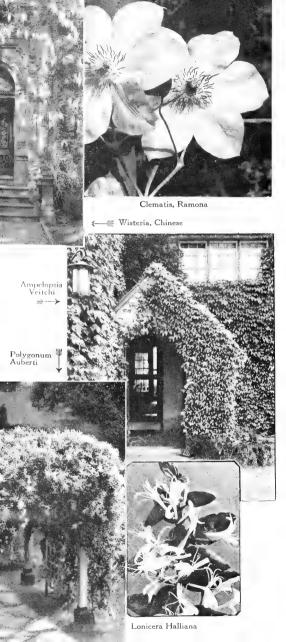
#### Our plants, ready in May, are in 3-inch pots with well-developed root-systems

CUSHION MUMS or AZALEAMUMS	Color description	Height	In Bloom	Each	3 for	Doz.
Elite Cushion Major Cushion Red Cloud White Cushion Yellow Supreme	Quaint bronze shadings on mound-like plants. Deep rose-pink, 2-in. flowers paling very little. Best red cushion; showy 2½ in., velvety red tones. Covered with 2-in. white, pink centered flowers. Nice 2-in. canary yellow flowers; round plants.	15-18 in. 12 in. 12-15 in. 12-15 in. 15-18 in.	Sept. 25 Sept. 10 Sept. 20 Sept. 10 Sept. 20	\$0.50	0 \$1.35	\$4.75
POMPON VARIETIES						
Canary Wonder Chiquita Early Wonder, Impv'd. Golden Wonder Jubilee White Wonder	Huge sprays of canary-primrose yellow 1½-in. globes. Fine compact, domed flower of deep lemon yellow. Fine sprays for cutting of firm soft pink globes. Attractive golden yellow formal pompon globes. Informal 1½-in. glowing red turning clear deep red. Perfect cream to white globes; long cutting stems.	2-2½ ft. 20 in. 2½ ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 3 ft.	Sept. 25 Sept. 25 Sept. 25 Sept. 25 Oct. 1 Sept. 25	.50 .50 .50 .60 .60	1.35 1.35 1.35 1.65 1.65 1.35	4.75 4.75 4.75 6.00 6.00 4.75
DOUBLE VARIETIES						
Admiration Alex Cumming Apache Betty Chippewa Courageous Elizabeth Hood Ermine Fascination Flamboyant Gardenia Glow-worm Golden Sunset Huntsman Joan Helen Lavender Lady Lee Powell Mrs. Kidder Patricia Lehman Red Velvet Spindrift Success Tranquility Yellow Avalanche Yellow Chris Columbus	Peach-salmon-fawn flushed red-gold, 3 in. diam. Superb 4-in., pure cerise flowers maturing rose. Brilliant, deep fire-cracker-red, 4-in. quilled flowers. Semi-double fine apple-blossom pink, upright plant. Tumbling sprays of glossy aster-purple and wine. Vivid crimson-red, 3½-in. flowers which last well. Lovely soft orchid pink of great appeal. Very double, creamy white 3-in. with wide petals. Silvery lavender-pink 4-in. flowers; center deeper. Tangerine-scarlet overlaid orange; gold centers. A large decorative cream-white of distinction. Tangerine-scarlet to bronze-red, 2 in. semi-double. Beautiful large flowers of coppery gold tones. Scarlet-orange shaded walnut-bronze; 3-in. double. Sparkling garnet shading to purple, 2½-in., semi-dbl. Fine pure lavender, 3-in. fully double flowers. Fluffy Chinese-yellow, 4½-in.; center tinged orange. Fluffy Chinese-yellow, blooms if disbudded. Fluffy, recurved, geranium pink centered peach. Full-double, rich velvety crimson-red flowers. Double 3-in. white flower with soft creamy center. Unfading, brilliant crimson, full 3 to 4 in. blooms. Round 3-in. pale primrose to canary-lemon flowers. Sprays of big, fluffy soft yellow flowers, 3½-in. across. Beautiful extra bright, lemon-yellow flowers.	2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2 ft. 2 ft. 2 ft. 2 ft. 2 ft. 2 ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 1½ ft. 2½ ft. 1½ ft.	Sept. 25 Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 20 Sept. 10 Oct. 10 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 25 Sept. 15 Oct. 1 Sept. 25 Sept. 15 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Sept. 25 Sept. 15 Oct. 0ct. 5 Sept. 10 Oct. 1 Sept. 20 Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Oct. 1 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 15 Sept. 20 Sept. 15 Sept. 20 Sept. 15	.60 .60 .75 .50 .50 .60 .75 .75 .75 .50 .50 .50 .50 .50 .50 .50 .50 .50 .5	1.65 1.65 2.10 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35	6.00 6.00 7.80 4.75 4.75 4.75 6.00 4.75 4.75 6.00 4.75 4.75 7.80 4.75 7.80 4.75
SPOON VARIETIES Garnet Spoon Peach Spoon White Spoon Yellow Spoon	Rich garnet-purple with faint yellow throat; exotic. Peach, with Chinese-yellow tubes aging peach-pink. Large, handsome white with creamy center. Large, golden yellow flowers 3½ in. across.	2 ft. 2 ft. 20 in. 2 ft.	Oct. 5 Oct. 5 Oct. 1 Oct. 1	.50	1.35	4.75

#### Hardy Chrysanthemums in Full Bloom Next Fall!

Plants will be for sale in full bloom and may be moved to your fall garden without set-back,





#### FORBES HARDY VINES IN POTS

For such a small outlay there are few plants that give so much in return as the Hardy Vines. A few, well placed, with their delightful charm will greatly enhance the beauty of your garden. They soften harsh lines, bring beauty to bare walls and welcome to doorways.

Ampelopsis quinquefolia. Virginia Creeper. A strong, vigorous, fast-growing vine with large attractive foliage that changes to scarlet-gold shades in the fall. It is very hardy and readily adapts itself to trellises, arbors and stone walls in sun or shade. 70c each; 3 for \$1.95.

Ampelopsis Veitchi. Boston Ivy. For clinging to brick, masonry or even smooth walls in part shade. Grows 25 feet in 3 years and has dense dark green foliage, which turns bronze-red in the fall. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50.

Aristolochia Sipho. Dutchman's Pipe. The large, heart-shaped leaves provide a dense screen or quick shade for porches and pergolas. The curious brownish flowers are pipe-shaped. Likes sun. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.25.

**Bignonia radicans.** Trumpet Vine. Delights in sun or part shade. It grows tall, rapidly bearing clusters of large, bright orange-scarlet flowers through the summer. It will cling to both wood and masonry. 95c each; 3 for \$2.70.

Celastrus scandens. Bittersweet. A vigorous rampant plant that grows well in sun or shade. It has large handsome light green foliage and, in May and June bears yellow flowers. In the fall the clusters of yellow, orange-capsuled fruit appear. As these are often bisexual, plant 2 or 3 together to insure berries. 90c each; 3 for \$2.55.

Clematis montana rubens. In late May and June, a profusion of rosy red flowers, up to 2 inches across, changing to clear, deep pink. Fine for walls, growing 10 to 15 feet, with dark foliage overcast with purple tones. Prune deadwood only in early March. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50.

Clematis paniculata. Virgin's Bower. This hardy vine, growing 15 feet in a season, adapts itself to all situations. A mass of fragrant, fleecy, white bloom, above the small dense foliage, from August to frost. \$1 each; 3 for \$2.85.

Clematis tangutica. Dainty and unusual golden yellow, lantern-like, small bell-flowers from late June into September on 10-foot vines. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50.

Clematis texensis. Curious urn-shaped, inch-long flowers of reddish rose; buff inside. Planted near a fence, stone wall or trellis the 6-foot vines will make a gorgeous display from July to September. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50.

Euonymus radicans vegetus. Evergreen Wintercreeper. Unexcelled in sun or shade for a hardy, evergreen wall cover or on large, old trees where it grows 25 feet high. Splendid for covering banks. It has thick, leathery, dark green leaves and bears bright orange berries in the fall. 90c each; 3 for \$2.55; \$9.50 per doz.

Hydrangea petiolaris. A very unusual, 10-foot woody vine which clings to both masonry and wood and to trees without support. It has dark green, clean foliage and short spur branches topped with fragrant white Hydrangea-like blooms all summer. It likes rich moist soil in either sun or shade. \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.75.

Ivy, English (Hedera Helix). A vine, with shiny leaves, for masonry walls, borders, graves, window boxes, as a ground cover, even in the densest shade. In soil, (minimum) flat of 25 for \$4; \$16 per 100. Also larger plants in 4-inch pots, 60c each; 3 for \$1.05; \$6 per doz.

For Climbing Roses see page 27

Straight Trellises. Natural redwood, strong, 8 ft. long in 3 widths, 18 in. \$3.25; 24 in. \$3.50; 30 in. \$3.75.

Fan Trellises. Of natural redwood. 8 ft. tall, \$2.80 ea.

Lonicera Halliana. Hall's Honeysuckle. Fine for steep banks, dense screens, porches, trellises and fences in sun or part shade. Vigorous, with almost evergreen foliage and fragrant flowers, white turning to yellow, all through summer. 75c each: 3 for \$2.10; \$7.50 per doz.; \$60 per 100.

Lonicera, Goldflame. Huge clusters of fragrant blooms, the outside of the petals of brilliant flame-coral, inside of creamy gold, from May to frost, \$1.10 each; 3 for \$3.

**Polygonum Auberti.** Silver Lace Vine. Grows 15 feet the first year. Has shiny, bright green foliage covered in summer and fall with foamy sprays of white flowers. Likes full sun and a rich sandy soil. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50.

Wisteria, Chinese. Long hanging fragrant flower-clusters in early summer. Likes a well-drained loam in full sun and lots of water when in bloom. Prune tops back hard from June to August. Lavender-blue or White. Each, grafted plants, \$2 each; 3 for \$5.75.

Wisteria multijuga rosea. Pink Weeping Wisteria. Has slender racemes, often 18 inches long, of smaller flowers produced freely on vigorous vines. \$2 each; 3 for \$5.75.

#### Large-flowered Clematis

Outstanding in color and form, these vines add charm to or garage. When grown on trellises against house, porch or garage they help tie in the building with the garden. Supported on wires, they are effective on walls and they change an unsightly stump or fence into a thing of beauty.

Culture. Best in partial shade, but if in full sun, shade the base with small plants and peat moss. Prepare soil 2 feet deep with sand and rotted manure and some lime. Set plants with colar 3 inches below soil level. Water amply during drought. Don't prune until well established; then in early spring prune back old wood to 3 feet. Mulch each fall with leaves, peat or rotted manure; in spring mix into soil.

Comtesse de Bouchaud. A strong grower and profuse bloomer from July to September, reaching 8 to 10 feet. The curved petals range from satiny rose to rich pink.

Crimson Star. Spectacular flowers, often 6 inches across, of true rich red with no purple tones, in profusion on 8 to 10-foot, vigorous vines from July to September.

**Duchess of Edinburgh.** Magnificent, big double white flowers all summer on 8-foot vines.

Henryi. Huge cream-white flowers, often 8 inches across, all summer on vigorous, 8-foot vines.

Jackmani. The vigorous growth is often 10 feet high, covered with deep violet-purple flowers through summer and fall.

**Lord Neville.** Makes a striking effect against a white wall or trellis. The 7-foot vines, from June to September, bear large graceful flowers of velvety plum-purple.

Mrs. Cholmondeley. Large open flowers of wisteria-blue are borne freely on 8-foot vines from July to September.

Nelly Moser. The red bars centering the pale mauve petals accentuate the beauty of this vigorous variety. The vines, 10 to 12 feet high, flower from June to October.

Ramona. Pale blue flowers, with rounded petals and darker

anthers cover the 8-foot vine, from July to September.

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ACHILLEA (Milfoil or Yarrow) Ptarmica, Boule de Neige Taggetea Tomentosa	White; double Pale yellow Bright yellow	1½-2ft.	June-Sept. June June-July	000	1D 1D 1D	12 15 12	Border; cutting Border; cutting Edges; rockery	\$0.55 .55 .55	\$1.50 1.50 1.50	\$5.50 5.50 5.50
ACONITUM (Monkshood) Napellus, Sparks' Variety	Dark blue	<b>4</b> ½ ft.	July-Aug.	00	4	15	Border; woods	.65	1.80	6.50
ÆTHIONEMA(PersianCandytuft) Warley Rose	Rose	9 in.	June-July	0	3G	12	Edges; rockery	.65	1.80	6.50
AJUGA (Bugle) Reptans(Evergreen)\$16 per 100	Violet-blue	3-4 in.	May-June	000	2; 4	10	Carpet; rockery	25 for	\$4.00	2.50
ALYSSUM (Madwort) Saxatile citrinum Saxatile compactum Saxatile, Double	Lemon-yellow Golden yellow Golden yellow	9-12 in.	April-May April-May April-May	000	2; 4D 2; 4D 2; 4D	8 8 8	Edges;rockery Carpeting Rock walls	.60 .55 .65	1.65 1.50 1.80	6.00 5.50 6.50
AMSONIA Tabernae Montana	Pale blue	2-3 ft.	May-July	0	2; 4W	12	Border; massing	.65	1.80	6.50
ANCHUSA (Alkanet or Bugloss) Italica, Dropmore Myosotidiflora	Gentian blue Myosotis-blue	4-5 ft. 1-1½ ft.	June on May	00	2D 2	18 15	Border; massing Border; rockery	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
ANEMONE (Windflower) Hupehensis Japonica, September Charm Japonica, White Pulsatilla (Pasque Flower)	Mauve-rose Silvery pink White Rose-lilac	2 ft. 2-3 ft.	AugOct. Sept. Sept. April-May	0000	4HS 4HS 4HS 3G	15 12 12 12	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; rockery	.65 .65 .65	1.80 1.80 1.80 1.50	6,50 6,50 6,50 5,50
ANTHEMIS (Yellow Marguerite) Moonlight (Chamomile) Tinctoria	Pale yellow Clear yellow	2½ ft. 2½ ft.	June-Oct. June-Oct.	00	2D; 4D 2D; 4D	18 18	Border; cutting Border; cutting	.60 .55	1.65 1.50	
AQUILEGIA (Columbine) Long-spurred, Blue Shades Long-spurred, Crimson Star Long-spurred, Crimson Star Long-spurred, Rose Queen Long-spurred, Snow Queen Flabellata cocrulea Flabellata nana alba	Various blues Soft yellow Crimson & white Rose shades Pure white Deep blue Ivery-white	2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 10-12 in. 8-10 in.	Mny-July May-June May-June May-June May-June	00000000	2K; 4K 2K; 4K 2K; 4K 2K; 4K 2K; 4K 2K; 4K 2K; 4K	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; rockery Border; rockery	.55 .55 .55 .55 .55	1.50	5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50
ARABIS (Rock Cress) Albida Double Alpina Alpina, Spring Charm	Pure white Pure white Rosy red		April-May April-May April-May	00	2D 2D 2	12 12 12	Border; rockery Rock walls Border; rockery	.60	1.80 1.65 1.50	6.00
ARENARIA (Sandwort) Narica Verna cæspitosa	Silvery white Tiny, white	6 in. 1-2 in.		00	3 3	12 6	Rockery; wall Rockery; walks	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
ARMERIA (Thrift) Cæspitosa Laucheana	Pink Rosy red		April-May April-June		2;4;SD 2;4;SD	8 8	Edges; rockery Edges; rockery	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	
ARTEMISIA (Ghost Plant) Lactiflora (White Mugwort) Silver King Silver Mound	White Silver mist Silver mat	21/2-3 ft.	Sept. April-Oct. April-Oct.	000	1D;2DP 1D;2DP 1D;2DP	12	Border; contras Contrast plant Edges; rockery	.55 .55	1.50	5.50



Warley Rose

Aquilegia long-spurred

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- 3 = Sandy loam + leaf mould
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- L = Leaf mould
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Achillea ptarmica

Anemone iaponica



Chrysanthemum Maximum Alaska



Campanula carpatica



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Astilbe (Spiræa)

Aster, Harrington's Pink

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ASCLEPIAS (Butterfly Weed) Tuberosa	Red-orange	1½-2 ft.	July-Aug.	0	5H	15	Border; cutting	\$0.60	\$1.65	\$6.00
ASPERULA Odorata (Sweet Woodruff)	White	6-8 in.	May	000	2H; 4H	12	Ground-cover	.55	1.50	5.50
ASTER (Michaelmas Daisy) Beechwood Challenger Blue Plume Harrington's Pink Mt. Everest	Crimson-red Deep blue Rose-pink Pure white	2½-3 ft. 3-3½ ft. 3-4 ft. 3-4 ft.	SeptOct. SeptOct. SeptOct. SeptOct.	0000	4 4 4 4	18 18 18 18	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	.60 .60 .60	1.65 1.65 1.65 1.65	6.00 6.00 6.00 6.00
ASTER, Dwarf Lady Maddocks Niobe Victor	Rose pink White Lavender-blue	9 in. 9 in. 9 in.	SeptOct. SeptOct. SeptOct.	00	4 4 4	12 12 12	Border; rockery Border; rockery Border; rockery	.55 .55 .55	1.50 1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50 5.50
ASTER Species (Starwort) Alpinus, Goliath Frikarti	Blue-purple Lavender-blue	8 in. 2-3 ft.	May-June June-Nov.	00	4 4	8 18	Edges; rockery Border; cutting	.55 .65	1.50 1.80	5.50 6.50
ASTILBE (Spiræa) Fanal Gertrude Brix Gladstone Peachblossom	Crimson Cerise-red White Peach-pink	2 ft 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft 2-2½ ft.	June June June June	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	5HW 5HW 5HW 5HW		Border; masses Border; masses Border; masses Border; masses	.85 .85 .85	2.40 2.40 2.40 2.40	9.00 9.00 9.00 9.00
AUBRIETA (Purple Rock Cress) Monarch Mixture	Pink to purple	6 in.	April-May	00	2; 4CS	6	Wall; rockery	.55	1.50	5,50
BAPTISIA (False Indigo) Australis	Indigo-blue	3-4 ft.	May-June	0	2; 4; 5	15	Border; cutting	.55	1.50	5,50
CAMPANULA (Bellflower) Carpatica, Blue Carpet Carpatica, White Garganica. Trailing; white-eyed Glomerata (Danes' Blood) Latifolia macrantha Persicifolia, Blue (Peachbell) Persicifolia, Misty Morn Persicifolia, White Rotundifolia (Scotch Bluebell)	Violet-blue White Pale blue-violet Purple Lilac & purple Violet-blue Double lavender White Light blue	6 in. 8 in. 3-6 in. 1-2 ft. 3-4 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2-2½ ft. 1 ft.	June-Oct. June-Oct. June June-July June-July June-July June-Aug. June-Aug.	000000000	4; 5 4; 5 4HC 4; 5 4; 5 4; 5M 4; 5M 4; 5M 4; 5M 4HC	9 8 9 18 12 12 12	Edges; rockery Edges; rockery Rock wall; step Border; cutting Cutting; masses Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Rockery; slopes	.55 .55 .55 .55 .60 .65 .60	1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.65 1.80 1.65 1.50	5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 6.00 6.50 6.00 5.50
CARNATION, Hardy Border King of the Blacks Rose Queen Salmon Unique Scarlet King Wallace Red White Queen Yellow Queen Dwarf Double Red Grenadin Dwarf Vienna, Double Mixed	Black-red Rose-pink Salmon Scarlet Dazzling crimson White Pale yellow Scarlet Various colors	20 in. 20 in. 18 in. 20 in. 20 in. 20 in. 20 in. 15 in. 14 in.	June-July June-July Aug. July-Aug. June-July June-July June-July June-July June-July June-July June	000000000	4K 4K 4K 4K 4K 4K 4K 4K	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; rockery Border; cutting	.55 .55 .60 .55 .60 .55 .55	1.50 1.50 1.65 1.50 1.65 1.50 1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50 6.00 5.50 6.00 5.50 5.50 5.50
CATANANCHE (Cupid's Dart) Coerulea Alba	Violet-purple Pure white	1½ ft. 1½ ft.	June-Sept. June-Sept.	00	2,4D 2,4D	12 12	Border; cutting Everlasting	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
CENTAUREA (Cornflower) Dealbata Macrocephala, Golden Globe Montana	Deep pink Golden-yellow Violet-blue	2 ft. 2½-3 ft. 12-16 in.	June-Aug. July-Sept. June-Sept.	00	1; 2; 4 2; 4 2; 4	15 15 8	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	.55 .55	1.50 1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50 5.50
CERASTIUM (Snow-in-Summer) Tomentosum	White	6-8 in.	May-June	00	1	12	Edges; rockery	.50	1.35	4.75
CHELONE (Turtle-Head) Lyoni	Purple-pink	2 ft.	July-Aug.	00	4M	15	Border; cutting	.55	1,50	5.50
CHIVES	Purple	[	May-June	0	2; 4		Herb garden	.45	1.20	4.25
CHRYSANTHEMUM, See page 11										
CHRYSANTHEMUM (Shasta Daisy) Maximum, Alaska Maximum, Chiffon Maximum, Double Shasta	Single; white Frilled; white Double; white	2-2½ ft. 2 ft. 2-2½ ft.	June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept.	000	4K 4K 4K	18 12 15	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	.60 .65 .65	1.65 1.80 1.80	6.00 6.50 6.50

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CHRYSOGONUM (Golden Star) Virginianum	Golden yellow	8 in.	April-Aug.	00	4HLW	15	Border; by pool	\$0.55	\$1.50	\$5.50
CIMICIFUGA (Snakeroot) Racemosa simplex	White	2½ ft.	SeptOct.	⊚ ●	4HM	15	Border; cutting	.85	2.40	9.00
COREOPSIS (Tickseed) Double Sunburst	Golden yellow	2-2½ ft.	June-Sept.	0	1; 2; 4D	12	Border; cutting	.55	1.50	5.50
DAPHNE (Garland Flower) Cneorum. 7 to 9-in. diam.	Rose-pink	10-12 in.	April-May	00	3GK	36	Edges; rockery	2.25	6.45	
DELPHINIUM (Perennial Larkspu Belladonna, Cliveden Beauty Bellamosum Improved Blackmore & Langdon's Hybrids Chinense, Dwarf Blue, White Pacific Giant, Astolat. Mostly Pacific Giant, Black Knight Pacific Giant, Bluebird Pacific Giant, Galahad Pacific Giant, King Arthur Pacific Giant, Summer Skies Wrexham Hybrids	Turquoise-blue Dark Blue Blue to pink Specify which	4 ft. 5-6 ft. 2 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft.	June&Sept. June&Sept. July-Aug. June&Sept.	000000000000	4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK	12 12 15 12 15 15 15 15 15 15	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	.75 .75 .75 .60 .95 .95 .95 .95 .95 .95	2.10 2.10 2.10 1.65 2.70 2.70 2.70 2.70 2.70 2.70 2.70	7.80 7.80 7.80 6.00 10.25 10.25 10.25 10.25 10.25 7.80
Deltoides erecta Latifolius, Beatrice Latifolius, Silver Mine Little Joe	crimson center Rose red Pure pink Pure white Crimson salmon-pink Rose-pink	6-9 in. 10 in. 10 in. 6 in. 12 in.	June-Sept. May-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-July	0000000	2K 2KM 2K 2K 2K 2K 2K 2K	10 8 10 10 10 12 10	Edges; rockery Edges; rockery Border; cutting Rockery; border Edges; rockery Border; cutting Edges; rockery	.55 .55 .65 .65 .55	1.50 1.50 1.80 1.80 1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50 6.50 6.50 5.50 5.50 5.50
DICENTRA Cucullaria (DutchmansBreeches) Eximia (Fringed Bleeding-Heart) Eximia, Sweetheart Spectabilis (Bleeding-Heart)		1-1½ ft. 9-12 in.	April-May May-Oct. May-Oct. May-June	0 0 0 0 0	2LM 2LM 2LMW 2LMW	12 12 12 24	Border; rockery Border; rockery Edges; rockery Border specimen	.80	1.50 1.80 2.25 2.55	5.50 6.50 8.40 9.50
DICTAMNUS (Gas Plant) Fraxinella, Rose or White	Specify which	2 ft.	May-June	0	4; 5	12	Borderspecimen	.65	1.80	6.50
DIGITALIS (Foxglove) Ambigua	Lemon yellow	2-3 ft.	June-July	00	2W	10	Masses; woods	.55	1.50	5.50
DODECATHEON (Am. Cowslip) Meadia (Shooting Star)	White	8-10 in.	May-June	⊚ ●	3A	6	Rockery; woods	.55	1.50	5.50
DORONICUM (Leopardbane) Mme. Mason	Yellow	1½ ft.	April-May	00	2; 4	12	Border; cutting	.60	1.65	6.00
ECHINOPS (Globe Thistle) Taplow Blue	Steel blue	3 ft.	July-Aug.	0	2; 4D	12	Masses; shrubs	.65	1.80	6.50
EPIGÆA Repens (Trailing Arbutus)	Pale pink	4 in.	April-May	⊚ ●	3HW	15	Rockery; woods	.60	1.65	6.00
EPIMEDIUM (Barrenwort) Alpinum rubrum Macranthum niveum	Red and white White	9-12 in. 9-12 in.	May-June May-June	000		6	Carpet; woods Edges; rockery	.60 .60	1.65 1.65	6.00
FUNKIA. Hosta (Plantain Lily) Glauca (Blue-green foliage) Subcordata grandiflora Undulata variegata	Pale lilac White Blue	2-3 ft. 2 ft. 2 ft.	June-July August July	0 • 0 0 •	4M 4M 4M	10 10 10	Border; masses Border; carpet Edging; carpet	.65 .65 .55	1.80 1.80 1.50	6.50 6.50 5.50
GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower) Burgundy Goblin Portola Hybrids	Coppery scarlet Yellow & red Red & yellow	15 in.	June-Oct. June-Oct. June-Oct.	000	2D 2D 2D 2D	12 12 12	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	,60 ,60	1.65 1.65 1.65	6.00 6.00 6.00
GAULTHERIA (Wintergreen) Procumbens	Pink & white	3-6 in.	July	⊚ ●	3HW	6	Carpet; rockery	.55	1.50	5.50
GERANIUM (Cranesbill) Grandiflorum Lancastriense (sanguineum)	Sapphire blue Pale pink	1-1½ ft. 6 in.	May-June June-Aug.	00	2;4	12 10	Rockery; edges Edges; rockery	.85 .85	2.40 2.40	9.00 9.00



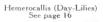
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Delphinium, Pacific Giant Hybrid

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Geranium Lancastriense See page 15

Gaillardia, Goblin See page 15



Helleborus niger (Christmas Rose)

Below, Gypsophila, Bristol Fairy



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GEUM (Avens) Borisii Princess Juliana Wilton Ruby	Blood orange Orange-yellow Ruby-orange	10 in. 2 ft. 1½ ft.	May-Oct. June-Oct. June-Sept.	000	2or4HM 2or4HM 2or4HM	10 12 12	Border; rockery Border; rockery Border; rockery	\$0.55 .55 .55	\$1.50 1.50 1.50	\$5.50 5.50 5.50
GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath) Bristol Fairy Rosy Veil	Double; white Double; pink	2-3 ft. 1½ ft.	June-Sept. May-Sept.	0	2; 4KD 2; 4KD	36 18	Cutting; masses Cutting; masses	.85 .65	2.40 1.80	9.00 6.50
HELENIUM (Helen's Flower) Moerheim Beauty	Brown-red	2-3 ft.	June-Oct.	0	2D; 4D	15	Border; cutting	.55	1.50	5.50
HELIANTHUS (Sunflower) Multiflora Double	Golden yellow	4 ft.	July-Sept.	0	2D	18	Shrubs; cutting	.60	1.65	6.00
HELLEBORUS Niger (Christmas Rose)	White	8 in.	DecFeb.	⊚ ●	2HKW	12	Border; woods	1.50	4.20	15.50
HEMEROCALLIS (Day-Lily) Autumn Red Flava Hyperion Mikado Morocco Beauty Nigrette Peachblow Tasmania	Large red Clear yellow Citron-yellow Deep orange Maroon-chestnut Mahogany-purple Salmon tones Pink-tan		AugSept. May-June July-Aug. June-July June-July July July June	00000000	2; 4; 5 2; 4; 5 2; 4; 5 2; 4; 5 2; 4; 5 2; 4; 5 2; 4; 5	15 18 18 15 15 15	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	.75 .55 .75 .75 .75 .75	2.10 1.50 2.10 1.50 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10	7.80 5.50 7.80 5.50 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80
HEPATICA (Liverleaf) Triloba	Pink-mauve	4-6 in.	April-May	⊚ ●	2HLM	10	Rockery; woods	.55	1.50	5.50
HEUCHERA (Coral Bells) Perry's White Pluie de Feu (Rain of Fire) Rosamundi	Pure white Coral-red Coral-pink	1-1 ½ ft. 1-1 ½ ft. 1-1 ½ ft. 1-1 ½ ft.	May-Oct. May-Oct. May-Oct.	000	2SM 2SM 2SM	12 12 12	Border; rockery Border; rockery Border; rockery	.55 .65 .55	1.50 1.80 1.50	5.50 6.50 5.50
HIBISCUS (Mallow) Red, Pink and White (Red eye)	Specify color	4-5 ft.	AugSept.	00	2; 3W	18	Border; masses	.65	1.80	6.50
IBERIS (Candytuft) Snowflake	Pure white	10 in.	May-June	00	2; 4; 5	12	Edges; rockery	.60	1.65	6.00
INCARVILLEA (Trumpet Flower) Delavayi	Rose-pink	1½ ft.	June-July	0	2SM	12	Border; cutting	.75	2.10	7.80
	um order, 25 plan	ts in flat	of soil for \$4	) Also	larger pl	ants, in	4-inch pots	.60	1.65	6.00
IRIS, Miniature Atroviolacea Betsy Presby Coerulea Huron The Bride Cristata (Species)	Wine-red Bright yellow Pale blue Purple and black Pure white Amethyst-blue	6 in. 6 in. 6 in. 6 in. 6 in. 4 in.	April April April April April May	000000	2; 3; 4 2; 3; 4 2; 3; 4 2; 3; 4 2; 3; 4 3HW	6 6 6 6 6	Edges; rockery Border; edges Rockery;border Rockery; border Border; edges Ground cover	.50 .50 .50 .50 .50	1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.50	4.75 4.75 4.75 4.75 4.75 5.50
IRIS, Tall Bearded Buffawn Crimson Tide Elsa Sass Flora Zenor Grand Canyon Gudrun Lake Huron Ola Kala Sable	Fawn; tangerine Large deep red Sulphur yellow Flamingo pink Plum & copper Pure snow-white Medium blue self Dark yellow self Black; blue	3-3½ ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft.	May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June	0000000000	2, 4HS 2, 4HS 2; 4HS 2; 4HS 2; 4HS 2; 4HS 2; 4HS 2, 4HS 2, 4HS	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	Border; cutting Border; masses Border; cutting Border; masses Border; cutting Border; masses Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	.75 .75 .75 .75 .75 .75 .75 .75	2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10	7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80
Albatross Blue River Gold Bound Koko-no-iro Lucia Marshall Nishiki-yama Red Riding Hood Ruby Giant	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft.	June-July June-July June-July June-July June-July June-July June-July	00000000	2AMW 2AMW 2AMW 2AMW 2AMW 2AMW 2AMW 2AMW	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	Border; masses Cutting; pools Backgrcunds Border; masses Cutting; pools Backgrounds Border; masses Cutting; pools	.75 .75 .75 .75 .75 .75 .75 .75 .75	2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10 2.10	7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80 7.80

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LAMIUM (Dead Nettle) Alba	White	6-8 in.	May-July	0	3	12	Border; rockery	\$0.60	\$1.65	\$6.00	
LAVANDULA (True Lavender) Vera	Lavender-bl <b>ue</b>	1 ft.	July-Aug.	0	2S	12	Herb garden	.55	1.50	5.50	
Scar.osa, White Spire	Lavender-purple Pure white Lavender-purple	4 ft. 5 ft. 2½ ft.	AugSept. AugSept. SeptOct.		2D; 4D 2D; 4D 2W; 4W	18 18 12	Cutting; masses Cutting; masses Border; cutting	.55 .55	1.50 1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50 5.50	
LINUM (Flax) Perenne, Blue	Pale azure-blue	15-18 in.	May-Sept.	00	2 SD	8	Masses; rockery	.55	1.50	5.50	
LOBELIA Cardinalis (Cardinal Flower)	Fiery cardinal	2-2½ ft.	July-Aug.	⊚ ●	4HSW	15	Border; woods	.55	1.50	5.50	
LUPINUS (Lupine) Russell	Various	2½-3 ft.	June-July	0	2; 4S	10	Border; cutting	.60	1.65	6.00	Linum perenr
	scarlet, pink Rose-crimson	12 in. 14 in.		0	2; 4 2; 4	12 12	Border; masses Border; rockery	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50	
LYSIMACHIA (Loosestrife) Clethroides	White spikes	2-3 ft.	July-Sept.	00	2; 4W	15	Cutting; pools	.75	2.10	7.80	
LYTHRUM (Pink Loosestrife) Superbum, Morden's Pink	Deep pink	3-4 ft.	June-Sept.	00	2; 4W	24	Border; pool	.60	1.65	6.00	. A. P.
MERTENSIA (Bluebell) Virginica (Virginia Cowslip)	Blue to pink	1 ft.	April-May	<b>0</b>	2HM	12	Woodland	.55	1.50	5.50	the Pa
Didyma, Salmon Queen Didyma, Sunset	Crimson-scarlet Salmon-pink Deep wine-red Pure white	2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft.	June-Aug. June-Aug.	0000	2; 4W 2; 4W 2; 4W 2; 4W	18 18 18 18	Border; masses Naturalizing Cutting; pools Wild garden	.50 .50 .55	1.35 1.35 1.50 1.50	4.75 4.75 5.50 5.50	
MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not)	Pale blue	10 in.	May-June	0	2;4HW	6	Edges; woods	.55	1.50	5.50	Nierembergia rivular
NEPETA (Catmint)	Blue-lavender	12-15 in.	June-Aug.	0	1; 2; 4	15	Edges; rockery	.50	1.35	4.75	Liatris scariosa
NIEREMBERGIA (Cup Flower) Rivularis	Creamy white	4-5 in.	June-Sept.	00	3W	10	Carpet; rockery	.55	1.50	5.50	* 4
ŒNOTHERA (Evening Primrose) Youngi	Lemon-yellow	2 ft.	June-Aug.	00	2D; 4D	12	Masses; cutting	.55	1.50	5.50	
PACHYSANDRA (Japan Spurge) Terminalis Flat of 50 for \$7.50	Glossy green	6-8 in.	All year	00	2; 4	12	Carpets; slopes	See at	left	2.15	
PEPPERMINT (Mentha piperita)	Green leaves	2-3 ft.		00	2W; 4W	12	Flavoring	.50	1.35	4.75	
PHLOX subulata (Moss Pink) Carmine-red, Blue, Rose & White	Specify color	6 in.	April-May	0	2SGD	15	Carpet; rockery	.50	1.35	4.75	
	Lavender-blue Pure pink	10 in. 8 in.	April-May May-June	000	4 4	12 12	Carpet; rockery Edging; rockery	.55 .60	1.50 1.65	5.50 6.00	
Daily Sketch Jules Sandeau Leo Schlageter Progress Sir John Falstaff World Peace Salmon-pink, Bright water Vivid scarlet, Clear lavende Huge rich sal Pure snow-wh	ole et red faint blue eye crimson eye nelon-pink orange sheen r-blue mon-pink	2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft. 2½-3 ft.	July-Sept.	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	.55 .55 .55 .55 .55 .55 .55 .55 .55 .55	1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50	





Linum perenne



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Phlox divaricata canadensis

Phlox subulata





Physostegia virginica

In Column Sun Needed O means full sun, @ half shade-half sun, @ full shade	Color	Height	Time of Bloom	Sun Needed	Type soil Preferred	Inches Apart	Uses	Each	3 for	Doz.
PENTSTEMON (Beard Tongue) Garnet Grandiflorus Pink Beauty	Garnet-red Lavender-blue Coral-pink	15-18 in.	June-Oct. June-Oct. June-Oct.	000	2; 4 2; 4 2; 4	9 9 9	Rockery;cutting Border; cutting Masses; cutting	\$0.55 .55 .55	\$1.50 1.50 1.50	\$5.50 5.50 5.50
PEONY, DOUBLE Auguste Dessert (8.7) Festiva Maxima (9.3) Frances Willard (9.1) Karl Rosenfield (8.8) Katherine Havemeyer (9.0) Longfellow (9.0) Mary Brand (8.7) Mons. Martin Cahuzac (8.8) Primever (8.6) Sarah Bernhardt (9.0) Solange (9.7) Walter Faxon (9.3)	Rose-red Early white Blush white Bright crimson Soft flesh pink Cherry red Dark crimson-red Purple-garnet Sulphur-yellow Deep rose-pink White; gold cent. Salmon-rose	2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft.	June June June June June June June June	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	4M 4M 4M 4M 4M 4M 4M 4M 4M 4M 4M 4M	36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36	Masses; border Border; cutting Hedge; specimen Masses; border Border; cutting Hedge; specimen Masses; border Border; cutting Masses; border Hedge; specimen Border; cutting Masses; border	1.75 1.55 1.55 1.55 1.75 1.75 1.75 2.25 1.75 1.55 1.55	4.35 4.35 4.35 4.35 4.95 4.95 6.45 4.35 4.35	18.60 16.20 16.20 16.20 18.60 18.60 18.60 16.20 18.60
PEONY, SPECIES DOUBLE Officinalis alba plena Officinalis rosea plena Officinalis rubra plena	Double white Double pink Double red	2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft.	May May May	00	4M 4M 4M	36 36 36	Very fragrant Very fragrant Very fragrant	2.25 2.25 2.25	6.45	24,60 24,60 24,60
PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragonhe Virginica, Vivid Summer Snow	ad) Mauve-pink White	1½ ft. 3 ft.	AugSept. AugSept.	00	2; 4 2; 4	12 12	Border; cutting Border; cutting	.50 .50	1.35 1.35	4.75 4.75
PLATYCODON (Balloon Flower) Double Blue Double White Grandiflora, Shell-Pink Mariesi, Blue Mariesi, White	Violet-blue Pure white Pale pink Violet-blue Pure white	1 ½ ft. 1½ ft. 2 ft.	July-Oct. July-Oct. July-Oct. July-Oct. July-Oct.	00000	2S; 4S 2S; 4S 2S; 4S 2S; 4S 2S; 4S	15 15 15 15 15	Border; rockery Border; rockery Border; rockery Border; rockery Border; rockery	.75 .75 .55 .55	2.10 2.10 1.50 1.50 1.50	7.80 7.80 5.50 5.50 5.50
PLUMBAGO (Leadwort) Larpentæ	Cobalt-blue	10-12 in.	July-Oct.	00	1; 2; 4	18	Edges; rockery	.55	1.50	5.50
POLEMONIUM (Jacob's Ladder) Blue Pearl Reptans	Baby blue Porcelain-blue	1 ft. 6-8 in.	April-May April-May	00	4 4	12 12	Border; rockery Rockery; woods	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
POLYANTHUS (Bunch Primrose) Supreme, Mixed Veris Duplex (Hose-in-hose)	Various; huge Yellow	12 in. 9-12 in.	April-May April-May		4SHMW 4SHMW	8	Edges; rockery Edges; rockery	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
POLYGONUM (Dwarf Lace Plant) Reynoutria \$40.00 per 100	Pink Sprays	4-6 in.	SeptOct.	0	Any	12	Ground-cover	.60	1.65	6.00
Betty Ann Big Jim Cerise Beauty Flashy Glow Gold of Ophir	Satiny white La France pink Deep maroon Cerise-rose Golden yellow Golden orange rose, burgundy True scarlet Soft red Cerise-scarlet	3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 25 in. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft.	May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June	0000000000	4D 4D 4D 4D 4D 4D 4D 4D 4D 4D 4D 4D	15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15	Border accent Masses; cutting Border accent Border accent Border accent Border accent Masses; cutting Border accent Masses; cutting Border accent	.80 .80 .80 .80 .80 .80 .80 .80	2.25 2.25 2.25 2.25 2.25 2.25 2.25 2.25	8.40 8.40 8.40 8.40 8.40 8.40 8.40 8.40
PULMONARIA (Lungwort) Angustifolia azurea Saccharata, Mrs. Moon	Sky-blue Salmon & blue	1 ft. 12-14 in.	April-May April-May	00	2W 2W; 4W	10 10	Carpet; woods Carpet; woods	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
PRIMULA (Primrose) Also see Pol Auricula alpina Japonica Vulgaris (English Primrose)	yanthus Various Various Pale yellow	6-8 in. 1½ ft. 6-8 in.	April-May June-July April-May	0	4SHMW 4SHMW 4SHMW	12 12 12	Rockery; woods Border; rockery Rockery; woods	.60 .60	1.65 1.65 1.65	6.00 6.00 6.00

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PYRETHRUM (Painted Daisy) Hybrids, Single Mixed Hybrids, Double and Single Mix James Kelway. Single.	All colors ced All colors Dark blood-red	2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft. 2-2½ ft.	May-June May-June May-June	000	2; 4M 2; 4M 2; 4M	12 12 12	Border; cutting Border; cutting Border; cutting	\$0.55 .55	\$1.50 1.50 1.50	\$5.50 5.50 5.50
ROSA (Alpine Rose) Oakington Ruby (Miniature) Rouletti (Miniature)	Rose-red Rose-pink		June-Oct. June-Oct.	00	4 4	12 12	Edges; rockery Edges; rockery	.90 .90	2.55 2.55	9.50 9.50
RUDBECKIA (Coneflower) Purpurea White Lustre	Red-purple Pure white stars		July-Oct. July-Sept.	00	1,2,or4D 1,2,or4D	15 15	Border; cutting Border; cutting	.55	1.50 1.80	5.50 6.50
SAGE (Garden Sage)	Purple	1½ ft.	Aug.	0	2; 4	12	Herb garden	.55	1.50	5,50
SALVIA (Sage) Pitcheri Virgata nemorosa	Gentian-blue Blue shades	3-4 ft. 4 ft.		00	2; 4 2; 4	18 18	Border; masses Border; masses	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
SANTOLINA (Lavender Cotton) Incana (Silver gray foliage) Viridis (Green foliage)	Yellow buttons Yellow buttons	1-1½ ft. 1-1½ ft.	July June	00	2or4DP 2or4DP	12 12	Herb garden Edges; rockery	.60 .60	1.65 1.65	6.00 6.00
SAPONARIA (Soapwort) Ocymoides splendens	Rosy pink	6 in	May-July	0	2;4	10	Edges; rockery	.50	1.35	4.75
SAXIFRAGA (Rockfoil) Megasea Smidi	Rose-pink	8-10 in.	April-May	00	4C	10	Edges; rockery	.55	1.50	5.50
SCABIOSA (Pincushion Flower) Caucasica, Isaac House Hybrids	Blue shades	1½-2 ft.	June-Sept.	0	2; 4	10	Border; cutting	.55	1.50	5.50
SEDUM (Stonecrop) Acre Album muralis Glaucum Gracile Kamtschaticum Nicæense Sarmentosum Sieboldi Spectabile, Brilliant Spurium, Dragon's Blood Stoloniferum	Bright yellow Tiny white Pinkish white White Orange-yellow Cream yellow Bright yellow Pink; small Rose-crimson Carmine-red Pink	3 in. 3-4 in. 2 in. 3 in. 6-8 in. 6 in. 1½-2 ft. 6 in. 6 in.	May-June June-July June-July June-July June-Aug. AugSept. AugSept. July-Sept.	00000000000	2G; 4G 2G; 4G 2G; 4G 2G; 4G 2G; 4G 2G; 4G 2G; 4G 2G; 4GD 2G; 4GD 2G; 4GD 2G; 4G	12 8 12 12 8 12 12 8 15 12 12	Carpet; rockery Edges; rockery Carpet; rockery Walls; rockery Edges; rockery Walls; rockery Walls; rockery Borders Walls; rockery Carpet; edges	.50 .50 .50 .50 .50 .50 .55 .60 .55	1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.35 1.50 1.65 1.50 1.35	4.75 4.75 4.75 4.75 4.75 4.75 5.50 6.00 5.50 4.75 4.75
SEMPERVIVUM (Houseleek) Arachnoideum Atropurpureum Laggeri Tectorum	Cobweb rosette Rosette, red tip Cobweb rosette Light red	2 in. 3 in. 2 in. 3 in.		0000	2SKD 2SKD 2SKD 2SKD	8 6 6 6	Walls; rockery Walls; rockery Walls; rockery Walls; rockery	.50 .55 .55	1.35 1.50 1.50 1.35	4.75 5.50 5.50 4.75
SHORTIA Galacifolia (Oconee Bells)	White	6 in.	April-May	⊚ ●	3AHW	12	Carpet; rockery	.60	1.65	6.00
SPIRÆA (Meadowsweet) Filipendula Double (Dropwort)	Cream-white	1½ ft.	June-July	00	2; 4	12	Border; cutting	.60	1.65	6.00
STACHYS (Wooly Betony) Lanata (White leaf tufts)	Lavender-pink	1-1½ ft.	June-July	0	2; 4	8	Edges; rockery	.55	1.50	5,50
STATICE (Sea Lavender) Latifolia	Purple-blue	1½-2 ft.	July-Aug.	0	3	24	Border; cutting	.50	1.35	4.75
STOKESIA (Cornflower Aster) Cyanea, Blue	Lavender-blue	1-1½ ft.	July-Sept.	0	2S;4S	12	Border; cutting	.55	1.50	5.50
TARRAGON True French	Green leaves	2 ft.		00	1; 2	12	Herb garden	.55	1.50	5.50
TEUCRIUM (Poor Man's Box) Chamaedrys (Shiny leaves)	Deep heliotrope	1-2 ft.	July-Aug.	0	2	8	Hedge; rockery	.60	1.65	6.00
THALICTRUM (Meadow-Rue) Aquilegifolium Glaucum (Blue-gray leaves)	Rosy purple Chinese yellow	2-3 ft. 3-4 ft.	June-July July	00	2HM 2; 4HS	12 12	Border; cutting Specimen;woods	.55 .65	1.50 1.80	5.50 6.50
THERMOPSIS (Carolina Lupine) Caroliniana	Yellow	2 ft.	June-July	000	2; 4	12	Border; woods	.55	1.50	5.50







Primula vulgaris. See page 18

Stokesia cyanea

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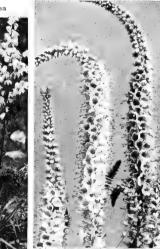




Trollius, Europæus Yucca filamentosa



See page 19
Veronica longifolia subsessilis





Thymus Serpyllum Tiarella cordifolia

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THYMUS (Thyme) Lanuginosus (Woolly-leaved) Serpyllum argenteus (Silver T.) Serpyllum aureus (Golden T.) Serpyllum ciriodorus (LemonT.) Serpyllum coccineum Serpyllum, White Vulgaris (Common Thyme)	Rosy lilac Streaked silver Golden leaves Lemon fragrance Purple-red White carpet Lilac-purple	3 in. 3 in. 3 in.	June-Aug. June-Aug. June-Aug. June-Aug.	0000000	2SD;3D 2SD;3D 2SD;3D 2SD;3D 2SD;3D 2SD;3D 2SD;3D 2SD;3D	6 8 8 8 8 8	Carpet; rockery In flag stones Walls; steps Edges; rockery Carpet; rockery Edges; rockery Edges; herb	\$0.55 .55 .55 .55 .55 .55	\$1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50 1.50	\$5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50 5.50
TIARELLA Cordifolia (Foam-Flower)	Cream-white	1 ft.	May	o •	2HW	12	Woods; masses	.55	1.50	5.50
TRILLIUM (Wake Robin) Erectum Grandiflorum	Red-purple White to pink	12 in. 12-15 in.			3AHMW 3AHMW	12 12	Rockery; woods Rockery; woods		1.50 1.50	5,50 5,50
TRITOMA (Red-Hot Poker) Pfitzer's Hybrids	Red, orange	3 ft.	AugOct.	0	2SD	12	Border; cutting	.50	1.35	4.75
TROLLIUS (Globe-Flower) Europaeus, Yellow Europaeus, Orange Globe	Light yellow Orangc-yellow	2 ft. 2 ft.			5SHMW 5SHMW	10 10	Pool margins Damp woods	.60 .60	1.65 1.65	6.00
TUNICA (Coat-Flower) Saxifraga, Double Rose	Deep rose-pink	6 in.	June-Nov.	0	2SGD	8	Rockery; edges	.60	1.65	6.00
VALERIANA Alba Coccinea	White Rose		June-Oct. June-Oct.	00	2KD 2KD	12 12	Borders; walls Borders; walls	.55 .55	1.50 1.50	5.50 5.50
VERONICA (Speedwell) Amethystina, Royal Blue Icicle Incana (candida) Incana rosea Longifolia subsessilis Rupestris Spicata, Blue Spires	Dk. gentian blue Pure white Porcelain-blue Pink Purple-blue Bright blue Deep blue	15 in. 12 in.	June-July July-Sept. June-Aug. June-Aug. July-Sept. June June June-July	0000000	4 4 2; 4 2; 4 4 2S 4	10 10 18 8	Border; rockery Cutting; border Rockery; edges Border; natting Border; cutting Carpet; rockery Border; cutting	.60 .75 .55 .55 .60 .55	1.65 2.10 1.50 1.50 1.65 1.65	6.00 7.80 5.50 5.50 6.00 5.50 6.00
VINCA (Myrtle; Periwinkle) Minor, Bowles \$20 per 100	Bright blue	6 in.	May-June	⊚ ●	2; 4	10	Carpet; graves	Soil fla		2.00
VIOLET Royal Robe	Single, violet	6 in.	AprMay	⊚ ●	3HW	8	Woods; rockery	.55 for	1.50	3.00 5.50
VITEX (Chaste Tree) Macrophylla. Ht. 18-24 in.	Lavender-blue	5 ft.	July-Oct.	0	Any	48	Border specimen	1.50	4.20	15.50
YUCCA (Adams's Needle) Filamentosa	Creamy white	5 ft.	July-Aug.	0	1;2;4D	36	Border accent	.60	1.65	6.00

#### WE PLAN YOUR PERENNIAL BORDERS

To plan a perennial flower border is perplexing because of the variables involved; viz., blooming season, foliage, height, spacing, and color. We plan perennial borders for fifteen cents per square foot of border, in addition to the plant cost. Bring in a rough sketch showing dimensions, grade, background, sun-shade exposure, color and season preference. We will do the rest.

We cannot plan rock gardens but can select suitable plants to give color and foliage contrast over the season if you will tell us how many plant soil pockets you wish to fill.



#### FORRES GLADIOLUS BULBS

For charm and color, few other flowers compare with Gladiolus. They can be grown with very little effort as they thrive in ordinary garden soil. The tall green stems, fairly bursting with brilliant color, provide a luxuriance of rainbow beauty. For cutflowers, Gladiolus are unexcelled. Mass them together in solid beds, plant them in borders, and among shrubbery. With successive planting from April through June, they will bloom from July until frost. Plant bulbs 4 inches deep and 4 inches apart, cultivate often and water freely. They revel in full sunshine. Thrips easily controlled with Lindane-Aramite or D.D.T. Soak bulbs before planting in a gallon of water containing 4 teaspoonfuls of Lindane-Aramite. Dust plants every 10 days with 10% D.D.T. dust.

#### THE CREAM OF THE CROP

Aureole. Large, well-placed florets of soft pale yellow with broad ruffled petals of heavy substance. The stems are tall and slender. Black Opal. Superb, tall, show-size flower spikes of dark maroon-red with a black velvety sheen. It contrasts wonderfully with white.

Elizabeth the Queen. Beautiful, clear mauve, ruffled flowers with darker lines in the throat. The large spikes have excellent form.

Evangeline. Long spikes of large ruffled, light rose-pink florets with soft cream throats, often 8 to 10 open at one time.

Florence Nightingale. This top award winner has very large, pure white, slightly ruffled florets perfectly placed on tall stems.

Friendship. One of the earliest to bloom with 6 to 7 nicely ruffled medium pink florets open at one time on strong tall stems.

Gene. Intensely ruflled medium yellow with excellent placement of the large florets, 6 to 8 open at one time.

General Eisenhower. Huge, deep begonia-rose florets well placed on long strong spikes and enjoying much deserved popularity.

Orange Gold. A splendid clear orange self color with 5 to 6 large florets on an 18-bud spike held erect by strong tall stems.

Pactolus. A spectacularly beautiful color effect—florets of apricot-cream with orange-red blotches on the lower petals.

Ravel. The large, heavy-textured, violet-blue florets have reddish brown throat markings and are well placed on strong, tall stems.

Red Charm. An outstanding new variety with huge florets of glowing medium red, well placed in attractive spikes on tall straight stems. Red Cherry. Striking florets of bright scarlet-red with a darker throat and you'll have 6 to 7 open at one time.

Spic and Span. The extra strong stems bear ruffled deep pink florets. often 5 or 6 open at one time.

Spotlight. Striking, slightly waved, large florets of deep golden yellow with a fiery red throat blotch, well spaced on tall stems.

Vulcan. Beautiful rich purple florets of large size make this a very popular variety of this dark color.

Any of the above 16 varieties, \$1.15 per doz.; \$7.45 per 100

#### TRY THESE BLUE-RIBBON WINNERS

Here's your opportunity to try these new grand champions.

Andrena. A beautiful blend of pastel rose with a pale yellow throat. The 41/2 inch florets open well in water.

Benjamin Britten. This is a very unusual and attractive variety with pretty lavender florets striped with white.

Bonfire. A really vivid color-flaming fiery scarlet. It has 5 to 6 big florets open at one time on strong stems.

Patrol. An unusually nice clear apricot with a yellow throat. You'll find 10 or more big florets open on tall strong stems.

Red Wing. Rich vibrant red florets, 6 to 8 open at one time on a 20bud spike. These are well placed on strong stems.

Any of the above 5 varieties, \$1.45 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100

Crystal Orchid. Huge ruffled, pointed petals of creamy white with a lavender feather. Wins many top awards at shows. A marvelous 1952 introduction. \$1.95 per doz.; \$14.95 per 100.

#### Forbes Rainbow Gladiolus Mixture Made with bulbs of ten different shades of color

Plan now for a rainbow display of Gladiolus in this year's garden. These wonderful summer flowers, with their wide color range, will brighten your borders from July until frost. Easily grown and thrive in any garden soil. Forbes famous Rainbow Gladiolus Mixture is especially prepared from largest-sized bulbs of ten distinct named varieties of ten different shades of color. This is far superior to ordinary commercial bulb mixtures of unknown color balance. Each 50 bulbs consists of 5 bulbs of each shade.

80 cts. for 10; \$3.70 for 50; \$6.95 per 100; \$16.50 for 250 Full cultural directions enclosed in every package

#### TRY THESE DELIGHTFUL MINIATURE GLADS

A brand new garden thrill awaits you if you have never grown these charming Miniature Gladiolus. They have slender, dwarfer plants with much smaller and far more dainty flower-spikes. These light airy spikes of great beauty and charm have unlimited uses as cut-flowers for corsages, centerpieces, small vases and general decoration. The bulbs are much smaller than the regular Glad bulbs and should be planted about three inches deep in a sunny place in good garden soil. Try some—you'll be delighted.

a nice spike of 14 to 16 buds. A very pretty miniature. Flicker. Medium orange, yellow-throated florets with bright scarlet

blotches, 5 to 6 open at once on 15-bud sturdy spikes.

Hocus Pocus. A very early and quite spectacular, small, deep golden yellow variety with a pronounced mahogany-red blotch.

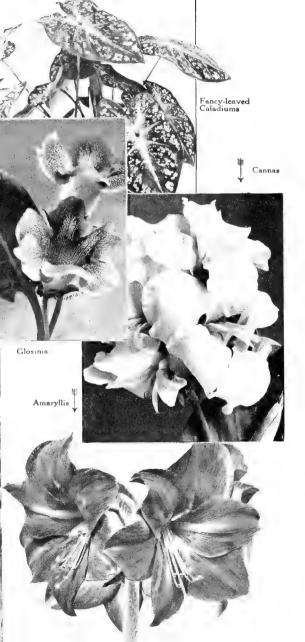
Kewpie. An outstanding favorite with tiny florets of light red with cream picotee edge. Opens 3 to 4 florets on straight spikes.

Fairy. Delicate lavender florets, always 5 or 6 open at a time on Loveliness. Charming, small shrimp pink florets, suffused with white, and with cream white throats. Very dainty and extremely attractive. Snow Baby. This is a little beauty with wonderfully formed, pure white florets nicely placed on small wiry stems.

Any of above 6 Miniatures, \$1.35 per doz.; \$8.45 per 100

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# FORBES SUMMER-FLOWERING BULBS

During recent years there has been a tremendous increase in the interest shown by flower fanciers in those summer and fall flowers produced from spring and early summer-planted bulbs or roots. And yet when the ease of culture, adaptability to soil conditions, certainty of success and the beautiful color effects possible are considered, it is surprising that this interest has been so tardy. The remarkable advance in the development of this class of flowers has no doubt increased their popularity, and the range of color and form seems unlimited.

#### Acidanthera

This Abyssinian Sword Lily is like the Gladiolus in foliage and habit. Plant the bulbs 4 inches deep in well-drained loam in May or June for August-September bloom. They must be lifted and stored dry over winter for planting the next year.

Murielae. The showy 6-petaled flowers, 3 inches across, are cream-white with distinct, star-shaped throat blotches of maroon-purple. They are delightfully fragrant and as cut flowers will make their presence pleasantly known. Ht. 3 ft. \$1 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

#### Amaryllis

These gorgeous blooms are very easily grown for indoor display. Pot the bulbs singly in 6-inch pots in good garden loam enriched with bone-meal. Water slightly and keep in a dark place at 50 to 60° temperature for about a month until well rooted, then expose to full sun and water regularly. It is essential for good bloom that the roots become crowded in the pot. For garden bloom plunge the pots in June in the border in a warm, sunny spot. Take indoors before frost and store dry for three months. Then force again through winter.

Giant-flowered Hybrids. These bulbs produce trumpetlike, perfect blooms in pairs on strong stems. The colors range from beautiful markings of rose, red, and crinson on white grounds to scarlet, crimson, bright red, cherry, and maroon self colors. Extra large bulbs, 90c ea.; \$8.95 per doz.

#### Anemone

These come in exceedingly brilliant colors from June on and are fine for borders and cutting. Plant as early as possible in spring, 6 inches deep, in a cool, moist, but well-drained soil. Mulch in winter. May be grown indoors in pots.

St. Brigid, Mixed. Single and semi-double, cup-shaped flowers, often over 3 inches across, in bright scarlet, purple, maroon, lilac, etc. Ht. 1 ft. 85c per doz.; \$5.50 per 100.

#### Begonias, Tuberous-rooted

Easily grown, these beautiful flowers excel in shady borders from July to frost and are fine for indoor forcing. In May, after soil is warm, plant bulbs with rounded part down, 10 inches apart, covered 1 inch in a soil mixture (of equal parts of garden loam, humus or peat moss, and well-rotted manure and a half part of sand) which is 8 inches deep to give good drainage. Water moderately until growth starts, then thoroughly once a week. Do not cultivate but mulch with peat or rotted manure in hot weather. Too much water causes flowers to drop.

For earlier flowers plunge bulbs in April, in flats 3 inches deep, of sanded peat moss and just cover with sand. Moisten slightly until growth starts, then water well in 60 to 70° F, temperature. When leaves form, shift to garden when soil is warm. Cheaper small bulbs give poor results. Double, Camellia-flowered. These fine flowers of waxy

texture closely resemble a camellia. Rose, Salmon, Scarlet, White and Yellow. Extra large bulbs, 2 in. and up, 3 for 95c; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25 per 100.

We also offer pot-grown Begonia plants. See page 9

#### Fancy-Leaved Caladiums

Gorgeous foliage plants for outdoor bedding in shady or semi-shady positions. Start bulbs in pots, planting one bulb to a 6-inch pot. Use a well-drained sandy loam, water sparingly, and keep at 60° until well started. Then water freely. Choice of 5 varieties. Jumbo bulbs 50c ea.; \$5 per doz.

#### Callas

Unlike the winter-flowering white Calla, these are wonderful garden subjects of easy culture. In April or May plant groups of bulbs, in sun or part shade, in noist soil. They will bloom in August-September. Lift the bulbs before hard frost and store. May be potted in the fall for indoor bloom.

Pink (Rehmanni). An unusual plant with small, rose-pink flowers of great beauty. Effective for margins, it grows 12 inches high. Bulbs, 2-2½ in., 55c each; \$5.50 per doz.

Yellow (Elliottiana). Lustrous, golden yellow large flowers on sturdy 2-foot plants. The foliage is dark green spotted with cream-white, Bulbs, 3-3½ in., 75c each; \$7.50 per doz.

#### Canna Roots For Plants, see page 9

Cannas are the most economical and effective plants employed in our gardens. They bloom from early summer until frost in all sections of the country, succeeding in any sunny position in any kind of soil, but responding quickly to liberal treatment. For best results the beds should be spaded deeply, and a generous amount of well-decayed manure of any kind thoroughly incorporated, and at all times freely watered. Plant the dormant roots after May 15, spacing them 18 inches apart. Set them with the "eye" just above the ground. Most effective when planted in masses of one variety.

City of Portland. Very large, rose-pink flowers above attractive green foliage. Ht. 4 ft.

Eureka. Large white flowers contrasting nicely with the clean green foliage. Ht. 4 ft.

King Humbert. Orange-scarlet flowers, 6 inches across, flecked with bright red. Coppery bronze foliage. Ht. 4 ft.

The President. Immense, glowing bright red flowers, 7 inches across when open. Rich green foliage. Ht. 4 ft.

Yellow King Humbert. Large bright yellow flowers

flecked with red; contrasting green foliage. Ht. 4 ft. Largest dormant roots of any of above, 3 for 70c;

gest dormant roots of any of above, 3 for 70 \$2.25 per doz.; \$15 per 100

#### Gloxinias

The gorgeous velvety tubular flowers are long lasting and contrast with the soft, gray-green, oval leaves. Easily grown, they are fine for porch boxes or pots in a warm, bright but not sunny place, and for the garden in semi-shade. Start bulbs in shade indoors at 65° F, barely covered, in flats of moist peat moss. After sprouts appear put each in a 4-inch pot of sandy, peaty loam, covering bulb one inch. Water sparingly at 65° F, in indirect sun. Set out after ground is warm; in a partly shaded border. Violet edged white; Scarlet edged white; Violet; Scarlet, 3 for \$1.25; \$4.50 per doz.

We offer pot-grown Caladium plants. See page 9

#### FORBES SUMMER-FLOWERING BULBS

From the viewpoint of cut-flowers alone, every gardener is justified in growing a variety of these flowers. They may also be used to great advantage for group plantings in the perennial border. Enjoy some this year.

#### Large-flowered Dahlias

The broad petals are spaced regularly in the Formal Decoratives (F.D.) or irregularly in the Informal Decoratives (I.D.). In the Semi-Cactus (S.C.) petals are partly rolled. Gallant Fox. (F.D.) Very large deep flowers of brilliant red carried on stiff-stemmed, vigorous plants.

Jersev's Beauty. (F.D.) Large flowers of great depth on wiry stems. A lovely pink with light chamois shading. Mrs. I. de Ver Warner. (F.D.) A beautiful shade of mauve-

pink. Large, well-formed blooms on strong stems. Mrs. James Albin. (F.D.) Attractive clear lemon-vellow with fine formal blooms carried on straight stiff stems. Red Jersey. (F.D.) A brilliant deep red version of the

famous Jersey's Beauty, having all of its fine points. Rose Glory. (F.D.) Very attractive, big flowers of deep

rose-pink held erect on strong stiff stems. White King. (F.D.) A lovely snow-white flower of good

size produced in abundance on strong plants.

Above 7 Decoratives, 50c ea.; 3 for \$1.35; \$5 doz.

Berger's Masterpiece. (C.) Narrow incurved petals of soft lavender-pink with a yellow base.

Michigan White. (S.C.) A beautiful pure white of large size and exceptionally fine for cutting.

Oakleigh Champion. (C.) A very graceful flower attractively combining burnt orange, soft pink and yellow. Scarlet Leader. (C.) The brightest of all with perfectly formed vivid scarlet flowers which do not fade.

Yellow Star. (C.) The narrow incurved petals are of an intense vellow color. A real beauty

Above 5 Cactus, 80c ea.; 3 for \$2.25; \$8.50 doz.

Kelvin. (I.D.) Huge flowers of Tyrian pink suffused with gold. The heavy stemmed plants have large foliage. Kirsten Flagstad. (I.D.) Blooms early and continuously with huge chrome-vellow flowers slightly suffused rose. Mrs. Hester A. Pape. (I.D.) Huge reddish purple flowers on tall strong plants. A consistent winner at the shows. Above 3 Decoratives, \$1.25 ea.; 3 for \$3.35; \$12.50 doz.

#### Miniatures

These, unexcelled for the border, produce dwarf, 3-foot plants, free-blooming and long-keeping cut-flowers. Plant 2 feet apart. They require no disbudding or staking.

Corinna. (Min. F.D.) These give a very bright sunny effect with their cheerful deep yellow flowers. Fairy. (Min. F.D.) Charming double flowers of glowing

clear pink in profusion on bushy plants. **Ike.** (Min. F.D.) A profusion of delightful deep red flowers which are excellent for cutting.

White Fawn. (Min. F.D.) Splendid pure white, double flowers with fine stems for cutting.

Any of the above 4, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; \$5 doz.

#### Pompons

These delightful small, ball-shaped cut-flowers through late summer and fall, require very little care. They grow 2½ feet high and the more you cut the more they bloom.

Cardinal. Medium-sized, perfectly ball-shaped flowers of deep red color on strong vigorous plants. Mary Munns. Countless hard pompon flowers, 11/2 inches

across, of a delightful shade of lavender. A nice variety. Rosa Wilmoth. Exceptionally fine, with small uniform blooms of deep rose-pink on healthy, vigorous plants. Yellow Gem. Fine deep yellow blooms, 11/2 inches across,

of perfect form, on nice long stems. Any of the above 4, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; \$5 doz.

DAHLIA CULTURE. Dahlias like a good soil but not too rich, in sun, Dig a hole 16 inches deep, firmly backfill 10 inches with half sand, half loam, well mixed for good drainage. Set stake, lav tuber flat and cover with 3 inches of soil. As growth appears, gradually fill hole to surface and then mound up. When a foot high, tie to stake and stir 2 or 3 ounces of fertilizer into surface. Shallow cultivate and mulch during hot months. Disbud side shoots. Space plants 3 feet apart. For cut flowers immerse stems in hot water. After cooling shift to cold water overnight.

These Peruvian Daffodils are delightful for garden display and superb as cutflowers, lasting several days in water. They bloom in late July if the bulbs are planted in late May or early June after the ground is warm. Lift them before frost comes and store dry over the winter at 60° F. for replanting the next year.

Calathina. Long-lasting umbels of three or four, pearlwhite, lily-like flowers on long-leaved plants 2 feet high.

Large bulbs, 50c each; \$4.95 per doz. Sulphur Queen. A very beautiful vellow Ismene with huge pale sulphur-yellow blooms which last wonderfully in water when cut. Not available until 1956.

#### Hardy Lilies

These, with their beauty and fragrance, appear best in groups against a background of shrubbery in well-drained soil.

Auratum. Huge ivory flowers spotted dark red, with a central vellow band on petals, in August, Ht. 4 ft. Plant 8 in. deep, in acid soil, in sun or part shade. 10-11 in. bulbs. 65c each; \$6.50 per doz.

Estate. Hardy, pure white trumpets in Aug. Ht. 4-5 ft. Plant 8 in. deep in sun. 9-10 in. bulbs, 75c ea.; \$7.50 doz. Regale. White funnel blooms, shaded pink and streaked brown, inside flushed vellow in July. Ht. 5 ft. Plant 8 in. deep in sun. 9-10 in, bulbs, 60c each; \$6 per doz.

Speciosum rubrum. Graceful, ruby-carmine, white edged flowers with reflexed red-spotted petals, in August and September. Ht. 4 ft. Plant 6 in. deep in sun. 9-10 in. bulbs. 65c each; \$6.50 per doz.

Tenuifolium (Coral Lily). Thread-like leaves and clusters of recurved, coral-red bell flowers in June. Ht. 2 ft. Plant 6 in. deep in partial shade. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

#### Ranunculus

Fine 15-inch border plants for cutting. In May plant the bulbs with claws downward, 3 inches deep and 6 inches apart. Giant Claremont Hybrids. Double and semi-double. peony-like flowers, 2 inches across in every shade of yellow, orange, pink and red. 85c per doz.; \$5.50 per 100.

#### Tigridias

In May, plant in a sunny, well-drained border, 4 inches deep and 6 apart. Water well. Bloom July to Sept. Ht. 3 ft. Pavonia Mixed. Large brilliant 3-petaled, open flowers with contrasting cup. \$1.45 per doz.; \$9.95 per 100.

#### Tuberoses

Select a sunny, well-drained, rich soil and in May, plant 2 inches deep. The flowers, in Aug. Sept., are very fragrant. Excelsior, Double Pearl. Spikes of waxy, white. Ht. 2 ft. Jumbo bulbs, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18 per 100.



Ismene calathina

Begonia, Double Camelliaflowered



Ranunculus, Giant Claremont Hybrids

Lily. Speciosum rubrum



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\*Buccaneer. \$2.95 ea.; 3 for \$8.55; \$33 doz. The buds are very long, opening into cupped, mildly fragrant flowers of clear shining, fadeless butter-cup yellow. The strong plants grow quite tall, are free-branching with long stems topped with glorious blooms. 38 petals. 8.4

Charles Mallerin. \$2.85 ea.; 3 for \$8.25; \$31.80 doz. Both the attractive buds and the large, high-centered, full flowers of midnight crimson are very, very dark red with a velvety blackish sheen, and the color does not turn blue. They have a marvelous fragrance. The husky plants are tall but not too symmetrical and have healthy, dark green, leathery foliage. They bear the flowers freely on long stems. 30 to 40 petals. New.

\*Charlotte Armstrong. \$2.60 ea.; 3 for \$7.50; \$28.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1941. The long, pointed, blood-red bud opens into a large, high-centered, full flower, cerise in hot weather and spectrum-red in cool weather, and 3 to 4 inches across. The plants are vigorous and very free flowering. The foliage is large, leathery, semi-glossy, deep green and highly resistant to mildew. 30 petals. 9.0

\*Christopher Stone. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. A large, semi-double, vivid scarlet flower overlaid with velvety crimson, of delightful Damask fragrance. In fall the crimson deepens with black shadings. The plants are of vigorous, upright growth with bright green foliage, free flowering and apparently not affected by heat, as they bloom almost continuously. 35 petals. 8.8

\*Chrysler \$2.85 ca.; 3 for \$8.25; \$31.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1953. The crimson color deepens in the shadows and seems brighter in full light. The large blooms are 4½ to 5 inches in diameter, with broad petals arranged in high-centered form. Buds are usually velvety and gracefully tapered. Flowers are carried single on strong stems of moderate length. The plant is compact in growth, 40-50 petals. 8.7

Condesa de Sastago. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The golden yellow buds are beautifully striped with brilliant orange-red and develop into cupped, open, coppercolored flowers of spicy scent. The inside of the petals is oriental red, the outside golden yellow, giving an unusual bicolor effect. The free-flowering, vigorous plants have large, glossy dark green foliage. 50 petals. 7.9

\*Crimson Glory, \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The large, long-pointed buds open to beautifully formed, semi-double, cupped flowers of an intense deep vivid crimson shaded oxblood-red and mellowed by a soft velvety nap. The wonderfully fragrant blooms are recurrently borne on very vigorous, compact bushes with healthy, profuse, leathery foliage. 30 petals. 9.5

\*Eclipse, \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. With streamlined, tapering buds, often 2 inches long, the semi-double, golden yellow flowers are very freely produced. The plants are vigorous and upright in growth with long, erect stems fine for cutting. They bloom consistently through the season. 25 petals. 8.5

Etoile de Hollande. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Still one of the best reds. The large-petaled, huge, double, cupped flowers are bright red, do not fade and have an exquisite old-Rose fragrance. They are particularly superb when in the half-open stage. The 2½-foot, open, branching plants have upright stems, large, soft green foliage and bear intermittently all season. 45 petals. 8.9

•First Love. \$2.60 ea.; 3 for \$7.50; \$28.80 doz. Dozens of unusually long tapering, graceful buds in a delightful pale dawn-pink. The pale pink flowers, with their mild pleasing tea fragrance and gracefully pointed petals, open very slowly. The vigorous, fairly upright, free blooming plants, carry each flower singly on a long slender stem. The abundant, light green, leathery foliage is disease-resistant. 25 petals. 7.8

\*\*Good News.

The deep coppery pink buds slowly open to very large, double, globular strong-stemmed flowers of silvery shell-pink with glowing apricot centers and rich tea fragrance. The vigorous bushy plants are healthy and almost continuously in bloom. This is an exceptionally fine dooryard rose. 60 petals. 8.0

• Grande Duchesse Charlotte. \$2.35 ca.; 3 for \$6.75 All-America Rose Selection, 1943. This delightful aristocrat provides a color previously unknown in Roses. The beautiful long, streamlined buds are a glowing moroccored and open to firmly petaled blooms of dusky coral-red which do not fade, and gradually merge to a soft coral-pink. The petals recurve and form a very artistic flower with a carnation fragrance. 25 petals. 8.3

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Tri-ogen. The well known liquid rose spray for black spot, mildew, blight and both types of insects. Kit A, (for 12–20 roses for the season) \$2.35; Kit B (for 50–80 roses) \$6; Kit C (for 100–160 roses) \$9.

Rose Food. Use this organic, 5-10-5 fertilizer for stronger growth, better color and more, perfect flowers. Feed in March, in late June and in early September. 5 lbs. \$1; 25 lbs. \$3; 50 lbs. \$5.

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Lowell Thomas. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1944. The vibrant chrome-yellow, slightly tea fragrant double blooms open from beautiful long, pointed buds. They all have high-cupped centers with outward rolling petals making magnificent glowing flowers often over 4 inches across when fully open. It is of compact, bushy, upright growth with leathery foliage and strong stems. 35 petals. 7.3

•McGredy's Ivory. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Very large, high-centered double flowers of soft, delicate creamy white merging into soft yellow at the base. They are delightfully fragrant. The buds are long and pointed, and very freely produced on vigorous plants with large, glossy, dark green leathery foliage which is quite disease resistant. 32 petals. 7.8

•McGredy's Scarlet. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The large high-centered, vivid rose flowers, with a slight Tea fragrance, become scarlet in the fall. They are abundant on tall, vigorous plants with large, glossy green, leathery foliage, 35 petals. 7.9

Mirandy. \$2.60 ea.; 3 for \$7.50; \$28.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, Gold Medal, 1945. The large, long-pointed, ovoid buds are glowing rich dark red with black shadings and open to large, full blooms of a gorgeous chrysanthemum-red and a delightfully penetrating Damask fragrance. The plants are strong, free branching with stout stems and dark green foliage. 50 petals. 7.5

Mme. Henri Guillot. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. Very large, slightly fragrant, urn-shaped blooms of deep watermelon- and raspberry-pink tones heavily veiled with reddish orange, giving an impression of flaming scarlet. The buds are long and slender and the strong plants have extra large, waxy foliage. 30 petals. 8.9

\$2.95 ea.; 3 for \$8.55; \$33 doz.

All-America Rose Selection, 1954. Long slender buds open to pleasantly fragrant, large radiant orange-apricot flowers highlighted with tints of red, scarlet and vermilion. These are borne on long cutting stems. The upright, vigorous plants produce a succession of flowers. 25 petals. 7.9

\$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Mrs. Sam McGredy. The pointed buds, with long bronze stems, are borne singly on vigorous plants with glossy, red-bronze foliage. The large, double, high-centered flowers, with Sweetbriar fragrance, combine copper, scarlet and orange and are flushed with Lincoln red. 40 petals. 8.3 New Yorker. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. The vigorous, 21/2-foot bushy plants, with very dark, glossy, disease-resistant foliage, carry an abundance of shapely buds. These open to large, high-centered, double flowers, of unfading scarlet with rose-red undertones. Delightful fragrance. 35 petals. 7.9

\$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The long pointed buds form strongly fragrant, double, globular flowers of very dark, velvety blackish maroon. The vigorous free-blooming plants have thick glossy foliage of bronzy green. 56 petals. 8.9

•Nocturne. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1948. Extra-long, beautiful black-red buds. The fragrant, large, cupped flowers are cardinal-red with deep shadings of chrysanthemumcrimson. The color lightens somewhat in hot weather. The 3 to 4-foot, upright plants are vigorous, with large, dark green, semi-glossy, leathery foliage. 30 petals. 8.0

\$2.85 ea.; 3 for \$8.25; \$31,80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1946. The large, ovoid buds are deep yellow, soon showing a cerise-pink picotee edging. As the flower slowly develops the color changes through canary-yellow, pale gold, cream, ivory and alabaster-white. The huge, mildly fragrant blooms are produced singly in endless succession. The hardy, vigorous plants have shining holly-like foliage. 45 petals. 9.4

\$1,95 ea.; 3 for \$5,55; \$21 doz. The lovely deep pink buds open to very double, highcentered, mildly fragrant, clean rose-pink flowers with undertones of rich salmon. They have good substance and last long. The plants are stocky, vigorous and free-blooming, with dark green, glossy foliage. 34 petals. 8.4

\$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5,55; \$21 doz. This is the most dazzling of all Roses. The buds, long and pointed, open to large, semi-double, beautifully formed. poinsettia-scarlet flowers. The brilliant, scented blooms are freely produced throughout the season on fairly tall, healthy, vigorous plants. 28 petals. 8.4

 President Eisenhower. \$2.85 ea.; 3 for \$8.25; \$31.80 doz. A very excellent rose that is worthy of a very excellent name. The medium-high, upright plant is sturdy and the dark green, leathery foliage resists disease. The large buds open to large, bright clear rose-red blossoms which are pleasingly fragrant. 35 petals. 9.0

Grandiflora Oueen Elizabeth.

\$3.25 ea.; 3 for \$9.45; \$36.60 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1955. Vigorous tall upright free-flowering plants with deep green, heavily textured foliage. The large, high-centered, orchid-pink blooms are borne singly and in clusters on long, nearly thornless stems. They last well when cut. 40 petals. New

Rubaiyat. \$2.20 ea.; 3 for \$6.30; \$24 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1947. The long crimson-pink buds slowly open to large double, high-centered, rich crimson to red-rose flowers of superb old-Rose fragrance, Freely produced with long stems on very vigorous upright plants,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 feet high, having clean dark, leathery, resistant foliage. 25 petals. 7.8

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Pinkie. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Dainty Neyron Rose buds opening to 2-inch flowers of spicy fragrance on bushy, 18-inch plants with light green, glossy foliage. 25 petals. 7.9

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We offer the best of the recent introductions and those older favorites which, through sheer merit, are still among the finest. Whether in beds by themselves or in border groups, they will flaunt their beauty from June until frost. In choosing Forbes Pot Grown Roses you are assured of live plants well established in soil and equal to a dormant Rose which had been planted the previous fall. Easily set in your garden without loss.

\*Show Girl. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. This has the longest, most perfectly formed, deep pink buds of all Roses. In cool weather they are almost carminepink but always opening to large, cupped, deep pink, double, delightfully fragrant flowers on long stems. The unright, bushy plants have leathery foliage. 25 petals. 8.2

Sutter's Gold. \$2.60 ea.; 3 for \$7.50; \$28.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1950. The exquisite long-pointed, orange-yellow buds, shaded vermilion, become large double, high-centered, intensely fragrant flowers of golden orange and shades of yellow. The vigorous upright plants have dark leathery foliage. 30 petals. 8.3

Fiffany. \$3.25 ea.; 3 for \$9.45; \$36.60 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1955. The plants are vigorous and upright with dark green, disease-resistant foliage. The long pointed buds of deep pink show a golden yellow shading at the base. They open to double high-centered blooms of warm clear pink which have exceptional lasting qualities. Each flower is produced singly on a strong stem. 32 petals. New

\*Talisman. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The buds are exquisitely formed and open to large double flowers of a delightful blend of cerise-pink, flame, scarlet and golden yellow. The plants are vigorous with large rich green, leathery foliage. 30 petals. 8.3

Tallyho. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1949. The outside varies from crimson to cardinal-red, the inside through rose shades, with a spicy fragrance. The green, leathery foliage is mildew-resistant, on upright plants. 28 petals. 8.3

•The Doctor

\$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz.
The long-pointed buds of sparkling pink open to enormous
flowers, often 5 inches across, of satiny silver-pink and
intense fragrance. The vigorous, bushy, 2-foot plants have
soft light green foliage. 25 petals. 7.9

•White Swan. \$2.60 ea.; 3 for \$7.50; \$28.80 doz. The long pointed, white buds open to large, stark white blooms, often 4 inches across, of delightful fragrance, borne freely on 3 to 4-foot, vigorous plants with dark green, resistant foliame. 30 petals. 7.4

#### FORBES FLORIBUNDA ROSES IN POTS

These are bush Roses producing clusters of blooms without interruption from early summer until late frosts. They are easy to grow and very hardy. Ideal in shrub borders for color after shrub bloom is over, for mass plantings, among perennials, even for colorful hedges. Plant 18 inches apart; prune lightly to desired height.

Betty Prior. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Sturdy, plants with clusters of fragrant, single blooms, resembling a pink dogwood in shape and color. The inside of the petals is a delicate pink and the outside a dark carmine. Ht. 42 in. 5 petals. 8.8

Carrousel. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. These remarkably fine blooms are just like Hybrid Teas but grow in clusters with good stems. They are of a glowing deep red color and come in masses on upright, rather tall growing, disease-resistant, and glossy-foliaged plants. These bloom freely over a long season even in extreme heat. Ht. 33 in. 32 petals. 9.2

•Fashion. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1950. The oriental-red buds open into lovely coral-pink flowers overlaid with gold, turning clear coral. The open, double, 3-inch flowers, in clusters profusely throughout the season have a wild-Rose fragrance. The plants are bushy, with dark glossy green foliage. Ht. 30 in. 25 petals. 9.0

Frensham. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Very vigorous, broad, bushy plants with dark leathery foliage and very abundantly bearing great clusters of large, semi-double, slightly fragrant, deep crimson flowers. Ht. 30 in. 20 petals. 8.9

\*Garnette.
\*S.59: \$21 doz.
This popular Florists' rose does well in the garden specially in half sun. The small 2-inch flowers in clusters are deep blackish red when cool, paler in the heat. At any time they last longer when cut than any other rose. The stocky plants have masses of crinkled holly-like foliage. Ht. 20 in, 35 petals. 7.8

\*\*Goldilocks. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz Sunny, globular, double flowers of deep yellow produced continuously in fine clusters of delightful fragrance from June throughout the season. The vigorous, bushy plants have glossy, leathery foliage. Ht. 42 in. 45 petals. 7.9

Irene of Denmark. \$2.20 ea.; 3 for \$6.30; \$24 doz. The large, cupped, double, white blooms, borne in fine clusters in abundance continuously, have a China Rose fragrance and the exquisite true "sweetheart" form, daintily perfect. The dark green-leaved, hardy plants are vigorous and bushy. Ht. 20 in. 30 to 40 petals, 7.0

•Jiminy Cricket, \$2.85 ca.; 3 for \$8.25; \$31.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1955. The vigorous upright plants have bronze leaves which turn to a lush glossy green. The clusters of urn-shaped, tangerine buds open into 3½-inch coral-orange blooms which change to rich coral-pink and have a pleasing old-rose fragrance. The flowers hold unusually well on the plant and also when cut. Ht. 30 in. 36 petals. New

\*Lilibet.
S.2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1954. Named in honor of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, the dainty abundant clusters come in exquisite tones of pink, from light rose to soft dawn pink, with fragrant flowers from 2½ to 3 inches across. The exceptionally hardy plants have heavy foliage. Ht. 24 in. 28 petals. New

•Ma Perkins.
§2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz.
All-America Rose Selection, 1953. The buds, coral with shades of red, open to 3-inch sparkling coral-shell-pink flowers. Tones of sweet honey fragrance. The plants have dark glossy green foliage. Ht. 24 in. 40 petals.

Indicates the most fragrant varieties

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# To Start You Growing Roses GREENHORN COLLECTION OF FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Fashion. Clusters of coral-pink overlaid gold. \$2.35
Goldilocks. Sunny double yellow flowers 1.95
Irene of Denmark. Double white clusters 2.20
Rosenelfe. Clusters of La France pink 1.95
Royal Chinook. Masses of carmine-red 1.95
Total Value\$10.40

We reserve the right to substitute any of same color

One each of above 5 for \$8.95

Pinocchio. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The pointed buds, salmon flushed with gold open in clusters to semi-double, fragrant flowers, 1½ inches across, of pink suffused salmon. The bushy plants, with leathery foliage, bear continuously. Ht. 36 in. 30 petals. 7.6

•Red Pinocchio. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The deep carmine buds open to semi-double, velvety red fragrant, 3-inch blooms, in large unfading clusters. The plants bloom continuously. Ht. 24 in. 48 petals. 8.7

Rosenelfe. \$1.95 ca.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Dainty clusters of very large, double, high-centered La France-pink flowers opening from long-pointed buds on strong stems. The glossy light green foliaged bushes are vigorous and free-flowering. H. 20 in. 50 petals. 8.9

Royal Chinook \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Masses of glowing carmine-red double flowers on this small plant. It is a continuous bloomer. The glossy dark foliage is large and leathery. Ht. 24 in. 80 petals. 7.8

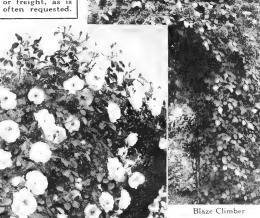
Vogue. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. All-America Rose Selection, 1952. The dark, oval buds open slowly into 3½-inch brilliant cherry-coral flowers of spicy fragrance. The plants have dark green, disease-resistant foliage. Ht. 30 in. 32 petals. 7.7



All-America 1952 Floribunda, Vogue

#### RE SHIPPING

We cannot send Pot-grown Roses by mail, express or freight, as is often requested.



#### ROSES IN COLOR

You will see all of our Roses in natural color at both our Hanover and Millburn stores. It helps a lot in making your best selection.

Climbing Rose, Doubloons

## FORBES CLIMBING ROSES IN POTS

These cover unsightly objects and screen undesirable views, serve as backgrounds for other flowers, and outline property lines. But best of all, they give a lift to your garden, adding variety with their height. Plant 6 feet apart and, after they finish blooming, prune out only the old wornout wood and trim back the side shoots.

Blaze, New. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Clusters of 2 to 3-inch, semi-double scarlet flowers. The vigorous 15-foot plants give masses of bloom in June, and intermittently all season. 40 petals. 7.8

Climbing Crimson Glory. \$2.85 ea.; 3 for \$8.25. This has deep crimson blooms with intense fragrance. The 10-foot plants bloom freely in June and give intermittent bloom thereafter. Perfectly hardy. 30 petals. 8.2

Climbing Goldilocks. \$2.85 ea.; 3 for \$8.25; \$31.80 doz. Large fragrant clusters of sunny, deep yellow buds all summer long. The vigorous, 10-foot vines have diseaseresistant, deep green foliage. 45 petals. 7.1

Climbing Mrs. Sam McGredy. \$2.20 ea.; 3 for \$6.30. This fine 10-foot, bronze-foliaged climber, throughout the season bears double, very fragrant hybrid tea flowers of copper, scarlet and orange tones. 40 petals. 8.9

Climbing Peace. \$2.85 ea.; 3 for \$8.25; \$31.80 doz. The foliage and strong stems of these 11-foot climbers are like the popular bush form and they bear the same perfect, huge hybrid tea flowers but many more of them throughout the season. 45 petals. 7.2

Climbing Picture. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. A 12-foot climber with double hybrid tea flowers of clear pink, with salmon under-tones, through the season. The foliage is pest- and disease-resistant. 45 petals. 8.4

Climbing White Dawn. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. Clusters of double, pure white blooms of moderate fragrance. Glossy-green, disease-resistant foliage on vigorous, 12-foot plants in continuous bloom. 35 petals. 8.5

\*Doubloons. \$2.20 ea.; 3 for \$6.30; \$24 doz. Clusters of deep saffron-yellow buds opening to double, cupped, fragrant, golden yellow extra-large flowers produced intermittently on 10-foot plants. 25 petals. 7.1

\*Dream Girl. \$2.60 ea.; 3 for \$7.50; \$28.80 doz. The large double flowers are of unfading coral-pink and have a spicy fragrance. They come in June and intermittently throughout the season. Foliage is glossy on vigorous 15-foot vines. 65 petals. 7.1

•Dr. J. H. Nicolas. \$2.35 ea.; 3 for \$6.75; \$25.80 doz. The fully double, cupped, deep rose-pink blooms are often 5 inches across from June all through summer and fall. As each cluster finishes, new shoots provide a succession of very fragrant, lovely bloom. The 8-foot plants have dark leathery foliage. 50 petals. 7.4

•High Noon.
All-America Rose Selection, 1948. Intense yellow, loosely cupped flowers in June and additional bursts of bloom throughout the season. The 10-foot vines have light green, glossy foliage. 30 petals. 7.6

•New Dawn.
\$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz.
Extra hardy and blooming intermittently all through the season. Has clusters of double, apple-blossom-pink flowers with old-Rose fragrance. The 15-foot plants are vigorous, with dark green, gloosy, foliage. 50 petals. 8.8

Paul's Scarlet. \$1.95 ea.; 3 for \$5.55; \$21 doz. The double flowers are a vivid scarlet-red which does not fade in hot sun. Freely produced, on 15-foot vines in large clusters with masses of color in June. 30 to 50 petals. 9.2



Veronica rupestris



Vinca minor (Periwinkle) Bowles Myrtle





Epimedium macranthum niveum



Sedum acre

Pachysandra terminalis



## GROUND COVERS

In nearly every garden there are some places where a ground cover, in one form or another, will reduce upkeep or give a better effect. Carpet plants are specially useful in places where it is impossible because of tree roots or soil conditions, to grow a lawn. Here are some ground-cover plants among which you will very likely find the answer to your problem. All are hardy in this latitude.

- Ajuga reptans (Bugle). This dwarf, creeping perennial makes a splendid ground cover in either sunny or shady places. The evergreen leaves are a rich, shiny green with deep blue flowers on short stems in May and June. Space plants 10 inches apart. In soil, flat of 25 plants \$4; doz. \$2.50; \$16 per 100.
- Arenaria verna cæspitosa. Useful only in spaces between flagstones, around stone steps and walls. Forms a grass-like, deep green mat 2 inches high and bears tiny white star flowers in May. Likes a sandy, leafmould loam in sun or shade. 3 for \$1.50; doz. \$5.50.
- Ampelopsis quinquefolia (Virginia Creeper). This is fine for covering large banks or wooded areas in either sun or shade. It is a vigorous, fast-growing vine with attractive foliage which becomes a scarlet-gold tone in the fall. Plant 5 feet apart. 3 for \$1.95; doz. \$7.
- Asperula odorata (Sweet Woodruff). An 8-inch ground cover with fragrant white flowers in May. The small, light green foliage is attractive. Thrives in moist shade but does well in half shade or sun in humusy soil. Plant 12 inches apart. 3 for \$1.50; doz. \$5.50.
- Celastrus scandens (Bittersweet). A vigorous, rampant vine for covering large slopes or areas in sun or shade. It has large, handsome, light green foliage and in May and June bears yellow flowers. In the fall the clusters of yellow orange-capsuled fruit appear. It has no soil preference. As these are often bisexual, plant 2 or 3 together to insure berries. Plant 3 feet apart. 3 for \$2.55; doz. \$9.50.
- Epimedium (Barrenwort). A distinctive ground cover in sun or shade but better in half shade. Spaced 9 inches apart they form a solid 9 to 12-inch carpet with light green, heart-shaped, leathery leaves, bronze edged in the fall. They bear a mass of flowers in May and June and like a peaty loam. Alpinum rubrum, red and white; and Macranthum niveum, pure white. Each, 3 for \$1.65; doz. \$6.
- Euonymus acuta. This prostrate, spreading vine forms a shiny, dark evergreen, dense carpet. Prevents weed growth. Does well in full sun, half shade or dense shade. Space 18 inches apart. 3 for \$1.65; doz. \$6.
- Gaultheria procumbens (Wintergreen). In small areas in half shade or full shade, this forms a carpet of oval, waxy leaves from 3 to 6 inches in depth and usually bears white nodding flowers in July and edible searlet berries in fall. It likes a sandy, peaty, moist soil. Space 6 inches apart. 3 for \$1.50; doz. \$5.50.
- Iris cristata (Crested Iris). Beautiful carpets in small areas if the soil is moist and contains lots of humus, if located in half shade or full shade. The amethyst-blue flowers, 4 inches high, appear in late April and May. Space 6 inches apart. 3 for \$1.50; doz. \$5.50.
- Ivy, English (Hedera Helix). This hardy, shiny-leaved vine makes a splendid ground cover in light sun or half shade and also in the densest shade. It thrives in a rich moist soil, becomes very dense and makes a fine carpet for daffodils. Allow 1½ square feet per plant. In soil, (minimum) flat of 25 plants \$4; \$16 per 100. Also larger plants in 4-inch pots, 60c each; 3 for \$1.65; doz. \$6.
- Lonicera Halliana (Hall's Honeysuckle). This is excellent for steep banks in either sun or part shade. It is vigorous, with almost evergreen foliage and very fragrant white flowers, which turn to yellow, all through summer. It has no soil preference. Stagger plants 6 feet apart. 3 for \$2.10; doz. \$7.80; \$60 per 100.

- Pachysandra terminalis (Japan Spurge). The erect, 8-inch plants spread rapidly by side growth under the soil. Will grow in any shade condition even under pine trees and will tolerate half-sun. Valuable for use as a ground cover under shrubs and trees, along walks and drives, and on steep terraces. Plant four or less to the square foot. In soil, doz. \$2.15; flat of 50 for \$7.50.
- Phlox divaricata (Blue Phlox). A very useful ground cover if spaced one foot apart in enriched humusy loam. The open plants, 10 inches high, with attractive clusters of lavender-blue flowers in April and May, will grow well in sun, half shade or full shade. 3 for \$1.50; doz. \$5.50.
- Phlox subulata (Moss Pink). These become a mass of color in April and May if in full sun. Growing about 6 inches high, they like a sandy or gravely light soil, preferably on the acid side, and can withstand drought Plant 15 inches apart. They come in Carmine-red, Blue. Rose and White. Each. 3 for \$1.35; doz. \$4.75.
- Polygonum Reynoutria (Dwarf Lace Plant). This 8-inch ground cover for sunny places is very hardy and establishes itself readily from underground runners. It does best in full sun and its pale green foliage turns bright red in the fall. In September it bears numerous airy, pale pink flower-sprays. Plant about one foot apart. 3 for \$1.65; doz. \$6; \$45 per 100.
- Sedum acre (Gold Moss). The dense, creeping evergreen mats, if planted one foot apart in a sunny place, will form a solid 2-inch carpet of fine green leaves. Covered with bright yellow, small flowers in May and June. Likes a rather dry, sandy soil and does well even in a poor, thin soil. 3 for \$1.35; doz. \$4.75.
- Sedum sarmentosum (Stringy Stonecrop). This spreads rapidly and is useful in covering a hot, dry, sunny bank in poor soil. It is 4 inches high with flat leaves and sprays of bright yellow flowers from June to August. Space one foot apart. 3 for \$1.50; doz. \$5.50.
- Sedum stoloniferum (Running Stonecrop). A 6-inch ground cover may be made by spacing these creeping plants one foot apart. The pink flower clusters come in July and August on flat, succellent foliage. Likes a sunny, dry, sandy soil. 3 for \$1.35; doz. \$4.75.
- Thymus lanuginosus (Woolly-leaved Tbyme). A hardy creeping plant, 4 inches high, with small, rosy lilac flowers from June to August and has downy, gray foliage. If planted 6 inches apart, it forms a splendid carpet in a sunny, dry spot. 3 for \$1.05; doz. \$5.50.
- Thymus Serpyllum (Creeping Thyme). A sprawling, 3-inch evergreen, with rooting stems. The dense leaves are covered with tiny blooms from June to August. It thrives in poor, dry soils in sun and is fine between flagstones. Space 8 inches apart. We have argenteus (Silver-leaved); aureus (Golden-leaved T.) citriodorus (fragrant Lemon T.); coccineum, purplered flowers; and White. Each, 3 for \$1.50; doz, \$5,50.
- Veronica rupestris (Rock Speedwell). This neat trailing plant, 3 to 4 inches high, is ideal when planted between flagstones or as a carpet among small spring flowers. It enjoys any good soil in sun or half shade and bears small, bright blue flower spikes in June. Plant 8 inches apart to form a thick mat. 3 for \$1.50; doz. \$5.50.
- Vinca minor, Bowles (Myrtle). A fine full- or half-shade, 6-inch ground cover, with broad, glossy green foliage and blue flowers in May and June. Interplant with Daffodils, Mertensia or Plumbago. Plant 6 inches apart for a solid carpet; 12 inches if time to grow out. In soil flats of 25 for \$5; doz. \$3; \$20 per 100.

# FORBES VEGETABLE SEEDS

# A selection of strains, some old and some new, but all are today's best

With uncertain world conditions you'll be wise to grow your own vegetables this year. It's interesting and healthful, too, not to speak of the supply of nourishing food at little cost. But it's not all fun. To succeed use good soil in the sun, plan well, and carefully select your varieties. Keep your crops free from weeds and well cultivated. But most important of all, plant the best seeds, for good vegetables do not grow from poor seeds.

Since 1898 Forbes Seeds have been used in huge quantities by the farmers who grow the vegetables you buy at your vegetable store. Use these same Forbes Seeds in your own garden.

Eat in

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Cross

Pods

Blunt 31/6

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Pointed 41/2

PLEASE NOTE: F = best for quick Freezing, BEANS. Pkt. plants 15 ft., lb. plants 100 ft. row or 100 hills. Apply rotenone to underside of leaves against Jap. beetle. Plant every 2 weeks for succession. Cultivate only when plants are dry. Space 7-ft. poles 3 ft. apart. CORN. Pkt. plants 40 ft., lb. 300 ft. row or 300 hills. Plant 3 or 4 rows in a block for best pollination. Miniature Corn, in row crops, won't shade them. PEAS. Pkt. plants 6 ft., lb. 50 ft. double row, rows 6 in. apart. Put brush between double rows.

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Telephone, Dark Pod

Pod or ear length, inches	Slightly curved pods	Straight pods	Inches between plants	Days to germinate	Successive interval, days
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BLANS, BUSH GREEN Black Valentine Stringless Bountiful Contender Longreen(LongTendergreen)	F F F	Medium green Light green Dark green Deep green	20 in. 20 in. 18 in. 20 in.	50 48 51 52	Round Flat Oval Round	6 6½ 7 7	•	:	3 3 3	6 6 6	14 14 14 14		DL: 15-: 1/IL 40-:
BEANS, BUSH WAX Cherokee Wax Sure Crop Wax		PODDED Golden yellow Deep yellow	18 in. 18 in.	50 53	Oval Flat	61/2		•	3	6	14 14		Pkt. 15c; ½lb. 40c; Ib. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.
BEANS, GREEN POLE Kentucky Wonder	F	Deep green	5 ft.	65	Oval	8	•		8	6			
BEANS, BUSH LIMA Baby Fordhook Fordhook 242 (A.A.)		Shelled green Shelled green	18 in. 18 in.	66 74		3 4	:		10 10	7 7			DI. 45 1/1 45
BEANS, POLE LIMA Challenger King of the Garden	F F	Light green Greenish white	10 ft. 8 ft.	92 90		5 6	•	•	6	7 7			Pkt. 15c; ½lb. 45c; bl. 80c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.
CORN, HYBRID SWEET Golden Rocket Marcross C13.6 Carmelcross Improved Golden Cross Bantam Narrow Grain Evergreen	F	Medium yellow Light yellow Bright yellow Golden yellow Pearl white	5½ ft. 5 ft. 5½ ft. 6 ft. 8 ft.	68 71 74 86 91	No. rows 12-14 12-14 12-14 12-14 18-22	7½ 7 8 8 8			88888	77777	Plant several kinds at once		> Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 45c; lb. 80c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.
CORN, MINIATURE SWEET Golden Midget Luther Hill	F	Golden yellow White	3 ft. 3½ ft.	60 59	8 8	4 5			8	7	10 10	}	Pkt. 40c; 3 for \$1.

Pkt. 15c; 1/lb. 35c; Ib. 65c; 5 lbs. \$2,75.

#### MUSHROOMS. Grow yours at home with Magic Mushroom Trays

F Dark green

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Deep green

Avoid starting Mushrooms in the warm summer months

Place your trays in your basement, away from your heater, where about 55 or 65 degrees and water occasionally. You can pick mushrooms in 30 days. \$2.25 each; 5 for \$10.75.

3 ft. 62

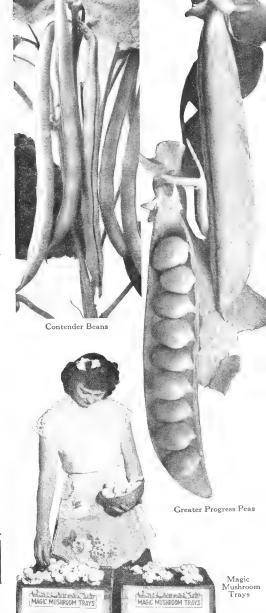
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# FORBES VEGETABLE SEEDS

#### KEY TO SYMBOLS:

Numeral = number of month in year to sow seed or to set plants outdoors. 4 is April, 5 is May, 6 is June, etc.

- \* Sow early and at intervals; and about July 15 for fall crops.

  Sow indoors, 5-7 weeks before time to set plants in garden.
- p Days from setting plants out in your garden to picking.

#### FOR PLANTS SEE PAGE 8

See Chart Inside Back Cover

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Name	Key	Color	Eat in days	Ht.	Diam.	Long in.	Comments	i.	Inches	Seed	Pkt. and Wt. Price
ASPARAGUS Mary Washington Rustproof	4	Dark green	3 yrs.	10			For roots, see index	F	3	1/2	15c; oz. 40c.
BEETS *Detroit Dark Red *Early Wonder		Dark red flesh Blood red flesh	63 58	12 14	2 2	2 2	(Best in light rich soil with 6.0 to 7.5 pH	F	2 2		15c; oz. 40c; ¼lb. \$1 15c; oz. 40c; ¼lb. \$1
BROCCOLI  *Italian Green Sprouting	4 7	Blue-green	70p.	30	1 ½-6		Cut head; buds later	F	18	Pkt.	20c; ¼oz. 40c.
BRUSSELS SPROUTS  Catskill	4 7	Dark green	80p	18	11/4	11/4	Frost betters flavor	F	18	Pkt.	25c.
CABBAGE  *Golden Acre, Super *Bonanza *Danish Roundh'd Short St. *Chieftian Savoy *Red Acre		Green Green White Crinkled Deep red	62p 75p 100p 88p 74p	14 14 15 15	6 4 7 7 6	6 4 6 6 6	Light, very rich soil best and 6.0 to 7.5 pH. Rotate location Dust with DDT; heads with rotenone.		15 18 18	Pkt. Pkt. Pkt.	15c; ¼oz. 40c. 25c. 15c; ¼oz. 40c. 15c; ¼oz. 40c. 15c; ¼oz. 40c.
CARDOON Spanish	5	Blanch stalks	150	36			Tie leaves to blanch		15	1/4	20c.
CARROTS *Gold Spike *Nantes XXX *Red-cored Chantena <b>y</b>	4 7	Deep orange Bright orange Red-orange	76 66 70	15 10 16	1½ 1¼ 2¼	9 6 6	Rich sandy loam, no fresh manure. Avoid weeds. Nantes best.	F F F	2 2 2	1/4 1/4 1/4	15c; ½oz. 25c; oz. 60c 15c; ½oz. 25c; oz. 60c 15c; ½oz. 25c; oz. 60c
CAULIFLOWER  The Forbes	4 7	White curd	55p	24	6½	5	Treat like Cabbage	F	18	Pkt.	35e.
CELERIAC (Knob Celery)  *Dwarf Moonarchie	4	White Knobs	110p	16	3	4	Germinates in 21 days		6	Pkt.	15c.
CELERY  Golden Plume  King Pascal		Yellow, blanch Green, blanch	85p 115p	20 18			(Likes rich moist soil Use Bordeaux often			Pkt. Pkt.	
CHINESE CABBAGE Special Narrow Head	7	White; hard	70	18	4	14	Easy to grow in fall		12	Pkt.	15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 75c.
COLLARDS *Georgia	4 7	Light green	75	30			High in food value		18	Pkt.	10c; oz. 25c.
CORN SALAD Broad Leaf	4 9	Salad leaves	45	5	4		For piquant salads		3		15c; ¼oz. 25c.
CUCUMBERS Longfellow Marketer Producer Pickling	5 6	Dark green Black green Mid-green	72 65 54		2½ 2¼ 1¼	10 8 4	(Use Methoxychlor from emergence on, Bordeaux vs. blight		12 12 12	-	15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 50c 15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 50c 15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 50c
DANDELION Italian (Ciccoria catalogna) Thick Leaf		Pungent, green Broad, green	60 95	16 7	8 14		Use tender shoots To winter over sow 8/1		6 10	1/4 1/4	15c; ¼oz. 35c. Crop failed
EGGPLANT  Black Beauty	5 6	Purplish black	80p	26	5	8	Light rich; no lime	F	18	Pkt.	20c; ¼oz. 50c.
ENDIVE *Full Heart Batavian *Mammoth Bordeaux Curl'd		Broad, plain Cut, curled	90 95	6	12 15		(Easily grown salad Use Snarol vs. slugs		12 12		15c; oz. 35c. 15c; oz. 35c.
HERBS Anise Basil, Sweet (Broad-leaved) Borage	4 5 4	Leaf; flavoring Spicy leaves Leaf; flavoring	75 85 80	14 18 18			(Have an herb corner not only for their ornamental aspect		10	Pkt. Pkt.	20c; ¼oz. 50c. 20c; ¼oz. 50c. 20c; ¼oz. 50c.

30 See next page

### FORBES VEGETABLE SEEDS

Eat in Ht. Diam. Long

### KEY TO SYMBOLS:

Jersey Gold

•Worldbeater

Name

Numeral = number of month in year to sow seed or to set plants outdoors. 4 is April, 5 is May, 6 is June, etc.

\* Sow early and at intervals; and about July 15 for fall crops.

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Color

Orange flesh

5 6 Deep green

- Sow indoors, 5-7 weeks before time to set plants in garden.
- p Days from setting plants out in your garden to picking,

### FOR PLANTS SEE PAGE 8

Comments

sunny, sandy loam

apart after thinning for a 50-ft. row

See Chart Inside Back Cover

Pkt, and Wt. Price

days in. in. in. HERBS, continued but for their enticing Caraway (Biennial) 4 6 Seeds; flavoring 15 12 Pkt. 20c; 1/4 oz. 50c. 70 flavors, either 12 Oz. 15c; oz. 35c. Dill. Mammoth 4 5 Seed; aromatic 75 30 fresh or dried, for 6 1/2 15c; oz. 50c. Fennel, Florence (Finocchio) Bulby base 85 24 salads, stews, soups, Horehound (Perennial) Leaf; seasoning 75 24 12 Pkt. 20c; 1/4 oz. 50c. meats, other foods 24 15 Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 95c. Lavender (Perennial) Perfume 60 and many beverages 20 9 Pkt. 25c. Marjoram, Sweet Leaf; seasoning 70 Most like sun, light Pkt. 25c; 14oz. 95c. •Rosemary (Tender Peren.) 36 Scent, seasoning 75 Well-limed lean soil Many stand drought •Sage, Broad Leaf (Peren.) 75 15 15 Pkt. 25c. Leaf, pungent Savory, Summer 4 Thyme, Broad Leaf (Peren.) 5 60 12 Lavender, Rosemary 6 Pkt. 20c. Leaf, piquant Leaf, aromatic 85 are very fragrant. 8 Pkt. 25c. KALE 12 1/2 15c; oz. 45c. Green Curled Dwarf Scotch 4 8 Green, curly 55 12 16 Frost betters flavor KOHLRABI \*White Vienna, Short Leaf 4 7 Bulb 55 8 2 Finest when young 4 1/4 15c; 1/4 oz. 35c. LEEK 4 5 Blanch stem 18 13/4 4 1/4 15c; 1/4 oz. 35c. Elephant 135 6 Hill to blanch stems LETTUCE, HEAD 14 15c; ¼oz. 25c. 20c; ¼oz. 40c. Bibb 4 8 Deep green 4 8 Dark green Early, very tender Great Lakes XXX 82 10 Best Iceberg type Romaine, Trianon Cos 12 2pk. 15e; oz. 35c. 4 8 Mid-green 68 6 Long crisp leaves \*White Boston, N. J. Special | 4 8 Light green 76 Smooth butter head 10 2pk, 15c; oz. 35c. LETTUCE, LOOSE-LEAF \*Black Seeded Simpson 4 8 Green, curly Non-heading, often 8 2pk. 15c; oz. 40c. \*Grand Rapids 4 8 Green, frilled 8 used when half size 8 2pk. 15c; oz. 35c. \*Oak Leaf

4 8 Dark green 40 This withstands heat 8 2pk. 15c. MUSKMELONS Orange flesh (See Cucumbers 1/4 20c; 1/4 oz. 30c. Golden Delight Hearts of Gold XXX Like well-enriched 14 15c; 14oz. 25c. 14 15c; 14oz. 25c. Salmon-orange

MUSTARD \*Fordhook Fancy 4 Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c. 4 7 Green, curly 40 10 Is highly nutritive OKRA

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Perkins Mammoth Pod 5 6 Green pods 50 60 6 Use pods when young 18 Oz. 15c; oz. 30c. ONIONS

15c; ¼oz. 35c; oz. 90c. 15c; ¼oz. 35c. 15c; ¼oz. 35c; oz. 90c. Southport White Globe 4 7 Clear white 110 15 For scallions sow thickly; thin to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches for boilers; Southport Yellow Globe Deep yellow 110 15 White Sweet Spanish 7 Pure white 110 Yellow Sweet Spanish Yellow brown 110 15 3 to 4 inches for 15c; 1/4oz. 35c. Sets, White and Yellow 85 15 large dry onions lb. lb. 35c; 4 lbs. \$1.30 PARSLEY All 3, 21 days to sprout ½ 10c; oz. 40c. Extra Double Curled 4 6 Dark green 75 8 Called Heimischer 4 6 Edible root 90 12 ½ 10c; oz. 40c. ½ 10c; oz. 40c.

70p 20 31/2 5 Avoid excess nitrate

Hamburg, Long Italian or Plain 72 12 Pinch stems to use 4 6 Flat; green PARSNIP 20 21/2 9 Sow thickly; thin out Hollow Crown XXX 4 5 Cream white 120 3 ½ 15c; oz. 35c. California Wonder XXX 18 Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 40c. 5 6 Deep green 72p 20 31/4 1/4 Thick walled flesh

18 Pkt. 15c: 1/10z. 40c. 31



Great Lakes XXX Lettuce

Golden Delight Muskmelon

Southport Yellow Globe Onions



Extra Double Curled Parsley

California Wonder XXX Peppers

# FORBES VEGETABLE SEEDS

# KEY TO SYMBOLS: New Hampshire Midget Watermelon Queens Tomato Butternut Squash Scarlet Globe Radishes America Spinach

Numeral - number of	month in year to sow seed or to set	
plants outdoors.	4 is April, 5 is May, 6 is June, etc.	FOR PLANT

FOR	PLANTS	
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KEY TO SYMBOLS:  Numeral — number of month in plants outdoors. 4 is Ap  * Sow early and at intervals; an  • Sow indoors, 5-7 weeks before p Days from setting plants out in the setting plants out in th	d ab	out July 15 for fall o e to set plants in ga	rops.				DR PLANTS EE PAGE 8	F=best for freezing	Inches apart after thinning	(ozs.) for a 50 ft. row	See Chart Inside Back Cover
Name	Key	Color	Eat in days	Ht.	Diam.	Long in.	Comments	F=b	Inche	Seed	Pkt. and Wt. Price
PUMPKINS Connecticut Field (Hallow'n) Large Cheese Small Sugar	5 6	Deep orange Cream buff Red-orange	115 105 100		14 12 9	12 6 7	Apply Methoxychlor from emergence on. Best flavor in pies	F	18 18 18	Oz.	15c; oz. 35c. 15c; oz. 35c. 15c; oz. 35c.
RADISHES  *Icicle *Scarlet Globe *Scarlet Turnip White Tip White Strasburg (Summer) Round Bl'k. Spanish (Winter)	4 9 5 6	Waxy white Bright scarlet Red; white tip White; taper'd Black; rough	30 23 25 40 55	6 5 5 6 7	1/2 1 1 1/2 3	5 1 ½ 1 5 3	Mild; brittle as ice (Sow red Radishes at 10-day intervals Crisp, pungent flesh Pungent white flesh		1 1 1 2 3	Oz. Oz.	10c; oz. 35c. 10c; oz. 35c. 10c; oz. 35c.
RUTABAGA Neckless	6 7	Yellow flesh	85	12	4	4	Best at 3½ in. diam.	F	4	1/2	15c; oz. 35c.
SALSIFY Mammoth Sandwich Island	4 5	White; tapered	150	12	11/4	8	(Vegetable Oyster)		2	Oz.	15c; ¼oz. 30c.
SORREL Narrow Leaf	4 7	Tart; green	60	9			Cut off, will re-grow		1	Pkt.	
SPINACH *America *Long Standing Savoy Virginia Blight Resistant New Zealand	4 5 7 8	Dark green Deep green Deep green Green; spreads	48 43 39 60	7 8 8 8	10 11 10 24		Grow best in cool weather For fall crop only Hot weather variety	FF	6 6 6 24	Oz. Oz. Oz.	Oz. 30c; ¼lb. 75c. Oz. 30c; ¼lb. 75c. Oz. 30c; ¼lb. 75c. 15c; oz. 50c.
SQUASH, SUMMER BUSH Cocozelle Long XXX Early Prolific Straightneck White Bush Scalloped Zucchini Dark Green	5 6	Green; striped Lemon yellow Green-white Black-green	42 39 39 41		1½ 2 4 2	6 6 1½ 7	(Use Methoxychlor Will yield steadily if fruits kept picked Best if used young	FFF	36 36 36 36	1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 40c 15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 40c 15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 40c 15c; ¼oz. 25c; oz. 40c
SQUASH, WINTER VINE Butternut Des Moines or Acorn Warted Hubbard XXX	5 6	Cream tan Black-green Dark green	90 80 110		4 4½ 8½	10 5 13	Fine when 7 in. long All 3 good keepers Fine for pie, baking	F	18 18 18	Oz. Oz.	15c; ¼oz. 30c; oz. 75c. 15c; oz. 40c. 15c; oz. 40c.
SWISS CHARD Fordhook Giant Lucullus Rhubarb	4 5	Dark green Bright green Red stems	55 50 60	24 24 22	Wt.		(Stands summer heat Discard old leaves Apply Nitrate Soda	F	8 8 8	Oz.	15c; oz. 40c. 15c; oz. 40c. 15c; oz. 40c.
TOMATOES  * Early Jersey * Golden Jubilee (less acid) * Italian Red Plum * Marglobe (Certified) * Ponderosa (less acid) * Queens * Rutgers (Certified)	5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6	Bright red Gold-orange Bright red Bright scarlet Purple-pink Red; firm Bright scarlet	69p 80p 75p 77p 90p 75p 80p		Ozs. 4 7 6 10 5	3	Best if staked, 2 ft. apart in row, trained to single stem. Prune suckers. If unstaked, 4 ft. apart each way. Apply Tomato Dust Protect vs. cutworms			Pkt. Pkt. Pkt. Pkt. Pkt. Pkt. Pkt.	25c; ¼0z. \$1 20c: 20c; ¼0z. 60c. 15c; ¼0z. 40c. 20c; ¼0z. 50c. 20c; ¼0z. 50c. 15c; ¼0z. 40c.
TURNIPS Purple Top White Globe Yellow Globe Green Top Seven Top for greens	4 8	White flesh Yellow flesh Green leaves	55 75 45	15 14 12	Diam, 3 3	3	(Fall crops are best Like light rich soil Dust with DDT.	F	3 3 2	1/4 1/4 1/4	15c; oz. 30c. 15c; oz. 30c. 15c; oz. 30c.
WATERMELON Dixie Queen New Hampshire Midget		Green, mottled Pale green	85 65		12½ 5	15 7	Apply Methoxychlor Ideal icebox melon		18 12	1/2	15c; oz. 35c. 20c; ¼oz. 40c.

### TRY THESE FINE NEW FLOWERS FOR 1955

Here are some newly developed flowers for your garden, all easily grown from seed. Each is the best in its class ready to display its beauty of color and form for your gardening pleasure. Try them this spring,

### ASTER, Powderpuffs, Mixed

A new Bouquet type with 2-foot, V-shaped plants one foot across, topped with 15 or 20 fully double "puff ball" cutflowers in all the delightful Aster colors. The entire plant may be cut and placed in one vase for an indoor bouquet. Pkt. 25c; 1/16oz. 70c.

# CELOSIA, Cristata Toreador

An All-America Winner for 1955, this has huge bright red cockscombs on stout 20-inch plants with light green foliage. It grows rapidly, loves hot weather and is pest free. When massed in a border it gives a stunning effect. Pkt. 25c.

### PETUNIA, Crusader

The gay rose-pink stripes on the white petals of this fine F<sub>1</sub> hybrid make it the nicest of all fringed bicolors. The dwarf 12inch plants are very free-flowering all summer and right up to frost. The rose-pink striping holds well even in the hot weather. Pkt. 50c; 3 for \$1.35.

### SALVIA, Fireworks

Much like St. John's Fire in habit, this new strain has larger blooms, produces them earlier and holds them right up to frost. A bed of this shows much more vivid scarlet color and creates a striking display. The plants grow 12 inches high and are exceptionally uniform. Pkt. 25c; 1/60z. \$1.35.

### PETUNIA, Prima Donna

Another All-America Winner for 1955, this large-flowered, fringed F1 hybrid is bright rosepink, 31/2 inches across on compact 12-inch plants which grow about 20 inches broad. It is a splendid thing for massed beds and ideal for margins and rock gardens. Pkt. 50c; 3 for \$1.35.

### AQUILEGIA, McKana's Giant Columbine, Mixed

This is the only perennial flower to win the coveted All-America Selection for 1955. It is a wonderful improvement with flowers 4 inches across and spurs 3 inches long on 3-foot plants. Pkt. 35c; 1/20z. \$1.

### MORNING GLORY, Candy Pink

A beautiful new color in Morning Glories -bright salmony rose-pink flowers all summer on strong growing 12-foot vines. These are freeflowering, bearing large flowers, over 3 inches in diameter, of this delightful pink companion for Heavenly Blue, Pkt, 15c; 1/10z, 75c.

### SALVIA, Welwyn

A delightful change in Salvia, this is a mixture of soft colors including clear salmon pink, glistening white, lovely soft lilac, deep mahogany red, etc. Splendid for massed effects in your border for continuous bloom from summer until frost. Makes a wonderful subject to enter in fall Flower Shows. Pkt. 25c; 1/60z. \$1.35.

### MYOSOTIS, Clausdel Blue

This annual Forget-me-not is hard to beat for summer bedding. Sow the seed in March or April for a mass of bright, light blue flowers on 12-inch plants from July on. The flowers are larger and more intense blue than the Perennial. Pkt. 25c.

### SWEET PEA, Little Sweetheart

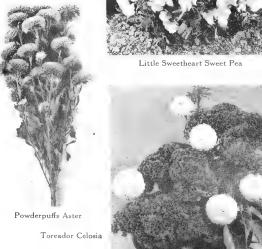
The first dwarf or bush Sweet Pea to be developed. It doesn't climb at all but forms a rounded bushy plant only 8 inches high. covered with Spencer type Sweet Peas. It is adaptable to margins, low borders and rock gardens. The flowers come in a sparkling mixture containing white, cream, salmon, rose, scarlet, crimson, maroon, mauve, lavender, and blue. Pkt. 25c.

### PETUNIA, Popcorn

Really an improved Snowstorm, this variety has ruffled, pure white flowers up to 4 inches across but most important of all, these appear freely on compact dwarf plants one foot high. This dwarf plant habit makes Popcorn invaluable for edging or low borders. Pkt. 40c; 3 for \$1.

### PETUNIA, Silver Medal

Another recent All-America Winner with compact bushy plants, 12 inches high and 18 inches across, which carry many 3-inch single flowers opening salmon-cerise with a slight orange sheen and ageing pure salmon. Perhaps the most delightful color of all Petunias. Pkt. 50c; 3 for \$1,35.



Popcorn Petunia

Crusader Petunia

Prima Donna Petunia

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# Aster, Wilt-resistant Branching Aster, Princess Wilt-resistant Ageratum, Midget Blue Alyssum, Snow Cloth Centaurea Cyanus, Super-Giant ✓ ## See page 35 Carnation, Chabaud's Giant

# FORBES ANNUAL FLOWER SEEDS

KEY TO SYMBOLS: x = climber; \* dry for winter bouquets

- 1. Sow indoors Feb.-March in pots; outdoors in May when warm,
- 2. Sow where to bloom and thin out. Hard to transplant.
- 3. Sow also in Nov. for earliest bloom the following spring.
- 4. Sow outdoors in April when cool.

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4. Sow outdoors in April when cool.  5. Sow outdoors in May when warm.  6. Cut old flowers or shear plants for more continuous bloom.  Name  Key  Color  Height  Time of Bloom  Preferred  O ● 1  ACROCLINIUM  Giant Double Hybrids  * 5 Pink, white shades  15 in. June-frost  2, 4  O ● 9 3	. 60c.
Giant Double Hybrids * 5 Pink, white shades 15 in. June-frost 2, 4 O 6 2-3 • 15c; 1/40z	. 70c. . 50c.
AGERATUM (Floss Flower) Blue Boy Blue Perfection $1 \ 5$ Amethyst blue $1 \ 5$ Ageratum blue	. 50c.
	. 65c. . 50c.
AMARANTHUS (Foliage plant) Molten Fire Tricolor (Joseph's Coat)  5 Bronze; red tops 5 Green, scarlet, gold  2 ½ ft. June-frost June-frost 1DK 0 18 2-3 18 2-3 15c; ¼oz	. 60c.
ARCTOTIS (African Daisy)       1 4 White; reverse lilac       2 ft.       July-frost       2, 4D       0       15 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2	
ASTER, Wilt-Resistant Dust with DDT against Leaf Hoppers to avoid "Yellows"  American Beauty Mixed Branching Azure Blue, Crimina Son, Shell-pink, Purple, Rose, White and Mixed Early Giant Mixed Heart of France Powder Puffs Mixed Powder Puffs Mixed Princess Mixed 1 4 Bouquet type 1 4 Grested centers 2-2½ ft. AugSept. 2, 4KM 0 12 2-3 15c; ½00 15c; ½00 15c; ½00 25c; ½00	. 65c. . 65c. . 80c. . 85c. . 70c.
ASTER, Not Wilt-Resistant California Giants, Mixed Gt. California Sunshine Mxd.  1 4 Shaggy; 5 inch 1 4 Pastels; quilled disc 2-3 ft. SeptOct. SeptOct. 2, 4KM 0 © 12 2-3   • 15c; ½02 20c; ½02	50c. 75c.
BALSAM (Lady Slipper)         5 White, pink shades         2 ft. July-frost         2BS         0         15         2-3         15c; ¼0z.           Dwarf Bush Mixed         5 Red, rose, white         10 in. July-frost         2BS         0         8         2-3         15c; ½0z.         15c; ½0z.	50c.
CALENDULA (Pot Marigold)       1 3         Lemon Queen       4 6 Soft yellow         Orange King       4 6 Deep red-orange         Double Bedding Mixed       4 6 Orange, yellow         18 in. June-Nov.       1, 2, 4       0 ⊚       9 2-3         15c; ¼oz.       15c; ¼oz.         15c; ½oz.       15c; ½oz.         15c; ½oz.       15c; ½oz.         15c; ½oz.       15c; ½oz.	50c.
CALLIOPSIS Dwarf Mixed  3 6 2 4 Various; bicolors 12 in. June-Sept. 1D, 2S 0 8 2-4 • • • 10c; 1/40z.	25c.
CANDYTUFT Dwarf Umbellata Mixed Giant White Hyacinth-fld.  2 3 4 6 Various pastels 10 in. June-Sept. 2, 4M 0 6 1-3 • F • • 10c; ¼oz. 15c; ¼oz.	50c.
CANTERBURY BELLS Mixed Hybrids (A.A.)  Blue, pink, white 2 ft. Septfrost 2, 4 ○ ⊚ 12 2   15c; ¼oz.	
CARDINAL CLIMBER 5 x Cardinal-red 15 ft. July-frost 2 0 18 2-3 20c; 1/80z.	
CARNATION Chabaud's Giant Mixed 1 4 Various colors 20 in. July-frost 2, 4B O 8 2-3 F 20c; \(\frac{1}{16}\)OZ.	

## FORBES ANNUAL FLOWER SEEDS

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Imperialis Mxd (Sweet Sultan) 4 6 Fluffy, all colors

- 4. Sow outdoors in April when cool.
- 5. Sow outdoors in May when warm.

Name

Cristata, Dwarf Empress

Cristata, Dwarf Mixed

Pampas Plume, Mixed

CENTAUREA (Cornflower) Cyanus, Dwarf Jubilee Gem

Cyanus, Dwarf Mixed

Cyanus, Blue Boy

CHRYSANTHEMUM

CLARKIA

COSMOS

DAHLIA

Caerulea

EUPHORBIA .

Pyramidalis, Fiery Feather Pyramidalis, Golden Feather

Cyanus, Super-Giant Mixed

Carinatum, Merry Mixed

Elegans, Double Mixed

CLEOME (Spider Flower)

Giant Pink Queen

Indian Squaw

CORN. ORNAMENTAL

Dwarf Early Mixed

Fiesta (A.A. 52) Sensation, Dazzler

Sensation, Mixed

DIANTHUS (Pinks)

Early Double Mixed

Sensation, Radiance (A.A.)

CYNOGLOSSUM (Chinese For-

Chinensis, Double Mixed

Single Fringed Gaiety Mxd.

DIDISCUS (Blue Lace Flower)

DIMORPHOTHECA (African D) Aurantiaca, Mixed

ESCHSCHOLTZIA (California

Variegata (Snow-on-Mountain)

GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower)

Lorenziana, Double Mixed

Double Fringed Mixed

Firmament (A.A.) get-me-not) 4 6 Bright blue

Monarch Art Mixed Poppy) 2 4 Art Shades

Unwin's XXX Dwarf Hybrids | 1 5 Various colors

CELOSIA (Cockscomb)

Cristata, Toreador Plumosa, Golden Fleece

6. Cut old flowers or shear plants for more continuous bloom.

Color

1 5 Crimson combs

1 5 Yellow plumes

1 5 Golden yellow

1 5 Fiery red

5 Various colors

4 6 Double; deep blue

4 6 Double; all colors

4 6 Double; deep blue

4 6 Double; all colors

1 4 Various zoned

1 4 All soft shades

\* 5 Variegated ears

1 4 Red, pink, white 1 4 Red, pink, white

1 4 Rose; crimson eye

1 4 Golden yellow

1 4 Deep crimson

1 4 Various colors

1 4 Various colors

1 4 Various colors

1 5 Pale azure-blue

1 4 Yellow, orange

4 Green, white edge

2 4 Various colors

1 4 All colors

4 6 Pink

5 Various colors

5 Huge bright red

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Time of

Bloom

10 in. July-frost

10 in. July-frost

20 in. July-frost

21/2 ft. July-Sept.

2½ ft. July-Sept.

12 in. July-frost

12 in. July-frost

12 in. June-frost

12 in. June-frost

21/2 ft. June-frost

2½ ft. June-frost

20 in. July-frost

2 ft. July-frost

31/2 ft. July-frost

5 ft. Aug.-Sept.

4 ft. July-frost

15 in. June-Sept.

2 ft. July-frost

12 in. June-frost

12 in. June-frost

12 in. June-frost

21/2 ft. July-Nov.

12 in. July-frost

12 in. June-Nov.

2 ft. Foliage only

21/6-3 ft July-frost

June-frost

21/6 ft.

Height

TS 8	means full sun half shåde-half s	Inches between plan	Weeks to germinate	Edges, rock gardens	•=Cutting; F=Fra	Successive sowings	Window, porch boxe	
Type Soil Preferred	00	Inc		Edg	•	Suc	Wir	Pkt, and Wt, Price
2, 4MW 2, 4MW 2, 4MW 2, 4MW 2, 4MW 2, 4MW 2, 4MW 2, 4MW	0000000	8 8 10 10 10 8 8	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2	•	•		:	15c; ☆oz. 40c. 15c; ☆oz. 40c. 25c. 15c; ☆oz. 50c. 20c; ☆oz. 60c. 15c; ☆oz. 60c. 15c; ☆oz. 60c.
2, 4DK 2, 4DK 2, 4DK 2, 4DK 1, 2DK	00000	8 10 10 12	1-3 1-3 1-3 1-3 2-4	•	• • • • F	• • • •		15c; ½oz. 55c. 15c; ½oz. 50c. 15c; ½oz. 40c. 15c; ½oz. 40c. 20c; ½oz. 75c.
2, 4BS	0	12	2-5		•			15c; ¼oz. 80c.
2S	0	8	1-2		•			15c; ¼oz. 55c.
1, 2S	0	12	1-2					15c; ⅓oz. 50c.
2, 4M	0	8	1-2					Oz. 20e; ¼Ib. 55c.
1, 2D 1, 2D 1, 2D 1, 2D 1, 2D 1, 2D 1, 2D	000000	18 15 18 18 18 18	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2		• • • • • •			15c; ¼oz. 55c. 20c; ½oz. 75c. 15c; ½oz. 50c. 15c; ½oz. 65c. 15c; ¼oz. 65c. 15c; ¼oz. 65c.
2, 4D	0 0	10	2-3	•	•			15c; ½oz. 35c.
4HMS	0	12	2-3		•			20c; ½oz. 70c.
2, 4, 5M 2, 4, 5M 2, 4, 5M	000	6 6 6	2-3 2-3 2-3	•	•F •F			15c; ½0z. 40c. 15c; ¼0z. 65c. 15c.
2, 4MW	0	12	2-3		•			15c.
2, 4D	0	12	2-3	•	•	•		15c; ⅓oz. 55c.
1, 2D	0 0	8	2-3	•	•			15c; ¼oz. 50c.
2, 4D	0	10	2-3					10c; ¼oz. 25c.

18 in. June-frost 1, 2D Q 12 2-3 • 10c; 1/4 oz. 55c.

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Dianthus chinensis

Double Mixed

cærulea

Explanation of Column

Type Soil Preferred 1-Poor or lean soil

Chrysanthemum

Merry Mixed

Cosmos.

Sensation Radiance

2=Light loam 3-Sandy loam + humus

4 = Medium loam

5 - Heavy or clay loam

B =Water in drought D =Dry

H =Humus or peat

K =Lime or alkaline M - Manure, fertilizer

P -Poor, no manure S = Sandy or gritty

Didiscus W=Moist or wet



Dahlia, Unwin's XXX Dwarf Hybrids



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# Lorenziana, Double, See page 35 Kochia trichophylla

Larkspur, Giant Imperial White King

Helichrysum monstrosum



Marigold, Mammoth Mum

Marigold, ← ∰ Full-Double Orange

# FORBES ANNUAL FLOWER SEEDS

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Name	Key	Color	Height	Time of Bloom	Type soil Preferred	00	Inches 1	Wee	Edges, 1	-	Succ	Win	Pkt. and Wt. price
GLOBE AMARANTH Gomphrena, Mixed	* 5	Various colors	18 in.	July-frost	2, 4	0	10	2-3		•			10c; ½oz. 25c.
GOURDS, ORNAMENTAL Small Varieties Mixed	5 3	Various shapes	12 ft.	AugSept.	2, 4MS	0	72	2-3					15c; ½oz. 65c.
GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath) White Covent Garden Market	* 4 2 3	Small white stars	2 ft.	July-Aug.	2, 4K	0	8	2-3		•	•		10c; oz. 40c.
HELIANTHUS (Sunflower) Sun Gold Mammoth Russian	2 5	Dbl. golden yellow Golden yellow	5 ft. 8-10 ft.	Augfrost Augfrost	2, 4, 5D 2, 4, 5D	00	15 24	2-3 2-3					15c; ¼oz. 40c. Oz. 10c.
HELICHRYSUM (Strawflower) Monstrosum, Mixed	* 5	Various colors	2½ ft.	July-frost	2, 4M	0	12	2-3		•			10c; ¼oz. 60c.
KOCHIA (Summer Cypress) Tricophylla	4 5	Light green bush	2½ ft.	Red in fall	2, 4DM	0	12	1-2					10c; oz. 60c.
LARKSPUR, Giant Imperial Blue Bell (A.A.) Blue Spire Brilliant Rose Exquisite Pink Improved Exquisite Rose Lilac King White King Giant Imperial Mixed Supreme Mixed	1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4	Azure-blue Deep Oxford blue Deep salmon-rose Soft salmon-pink Rose-pink Soft lilac Pure white All colors All colors	3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft.	June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept. June-Sept.	2, 4D 2, 4D	000000000	8888888	3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4		•F •F •F •F •F			15c; ¼oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¼oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c, 15c; ¾oz. 70c,
LOBELIA Crystal Palace Compacta	1 6	Dark blue	6 in.	July-frost	2, 4B	0	6	2-3	•				15c; ½oz. 50c.
LUPINUS HARTWEGI (Lupine) Giant King Hybrids Mixed		Blue, rose & white	2½ ft.	June-Aug.	2, 48	0 @	12	1-2		•		•	15c; ½oz. 50c.
MARIGOLD, Large-flowered African Super Alldouble Mxd. Dwarf Giant, Gypsy Jewels Dwarf Giant, Pot o Gold Fluffy Ruffles Full-Double Orange Glitters (A.A.) Guinea Gold (A.A.) Mammoth Mum (A.A.) Man-in-the-Moon Mission Giant, Goldsmith Mission Giant, Yellowstone Sunset Giants, Mixed Yellow Supreme	111111111111111111111111111111111111111	Yellow, orange tones Orange, yellowtones Golden orange Pure gold Orange; 5-inch Clear yellow; 4 in. Orange and gold Sulphur-yellow Pale moon-yellow Golden orange Golden yellow Orange, yellow tones Creamy lemon	15 in. 15 in. 20 in. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 4 ft.	July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost	2, 4, 5D 2, 4, 5D	00000	15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 1	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2		•			15c; ½0z. 60c. 15c; ½0z. 50c. 15c; ½0z. 50c. 15c; ½0z. 60c. 15c; ½0z. 55c. 15c; ½0z. 55c. 15c; ½0z. 60c. 15c; ½0z. 60c. 15c; ½0z. 60c. 15c; ½0z. 60c. 15c; ½0z. 50c. 15c; ½0z. 50c.
MARIGOLD, Small-flowered Extra-Dwarf Double French Gold Crest Lemondrop (NEW) Spry (A.A.) Sunkist Yellow Pygmy (A.A.) ExDwf. Dbl. French Mxd.	1 1 1 1	Golden yellow Lemon yellow Mahogany & yel. Deep orange Light yellow All colors	9 in. 9 in. 9 in. 8 in.	June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost	1, 2, 4E 1, 2, 4E 1, 2, 4E 1, 2, 4E 1, 2, 4E 1, 2, 4E 1, 2, 4E	000000	8 8 8 8 8	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2	•	•		•	

## FORBES ANNUAL FLOWER SEEDS

Height

KEY TO SYMBOLS: x = climber; \* dry for winter bouquets,

1. Sow indoors Feb.-March in pots; outdoors in May when warm.

Key

Color

1 5 Golden yellow

5 Golden orange

1 5 Primrose yellow

1 5 Scarlet-tangerine

5 Tangerine-red

1 5 Vibrant vellow

5 Various colors

1 5 White; 5 inch

5 Salmon rose pink

5 Red edged white

5 Clear sky-blue

1 5 Rosy crimson

1 4 Bright blue

4 5 Bright colors

4 5 Bright colors

4 5 Bright colors

1 5 Pure white

5 Pale crimson

3 4 Cornflower-blue

4 6 Various colors

4 6 Various colors

4 6 Various colors

4 Various colors

2 4 Various colors

2 4 Various colors

1 Deep violet-purple

1 5 Various colors

5 Bright colors

5 White

5 Maroon & orange

5 Golden; red center

5 Mahog.; gold eve

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Name

MARIGOLD, Small-flowered Extra Dwarf Double African

Golden Cupid

Orange Cupid

Dwarf Double French

Dwarf Single French Flash (A.A.)

Naughty Marietta

Four o'Clock, Fine Mixed

Heavenly Blue, Early-fld.

Climbing Scarlett O'Hara

MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not)

Oblongata, Clausdel Blue

Dwf. Semi-Dbl. Gem Mixed

Pearly Gates (A.A.)

Dwarf Single Mixed

Double Gleam Mixed

NICOTIANA (Fl. Tobacco)

NIGELLA (Love-in-a-Mist)

Daylight Sensation Mixed

NIEREMBERGIA (Cup Flower) Purple Robe (A.A.)

Harmony Scarlet Glow (A.A.)

Yellow Cupid

Redhead

MARVEL OF PERU

Sunny

MIGNONETTE

MOONFLOWER

MORNING GLORY Candy Pink (New)

Giant White

Cornell

NASTURTIUM Climbing Single Mixed

Affinis White

Miss Jekyll

PANSY (Biennial)

Engelmann's Giant

PHLOX Drummondi

POPPY

Forbes Big Beauties

Double Shirley Mixed

Single Shirley Mixed

Super Swiss Giants Mixed

Large-fld. Very Dwarf Mixed 1

Crimson Bedder

6. Cut old flowers or shear plants for more continuous bloom.

Old Fashioned Sweet-Scented 2 4 Green, red, vellow

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Time of

Bloom

6 in. June-frost

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12 in. June-frost

10 in. June-frost

14 in. June-frost 18 in. June-frost

15 in. June-frost

15 in. June-frost

2 ft. June-frost

12 in. June-frost

15 ft. July-frost

12 in. June-frost

15 in. June-frost

2-3 ft. June-frost

15 in. June-frost

2 1/2 ft. June-frost

6 in. June-frost

18 in. May-Sept.

8 in. May-Nov.

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6 in. July-frost

18 in. June-frost

18 in. June-frost

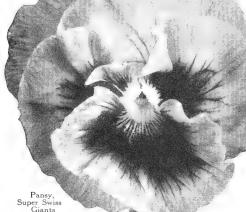
June-frost 12 in. June-frost

10 in. July

6-8 ft.

6 in. June-frost

8		means full sun	half shade-half sun	Inches between plants	Weeks to germinate	Edges, rock gardens	=Cutting; F=Fragrar	Successive sowings	Window, porch boxes		-
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- K=Lime or alkaline M = Manure, fertilizer
- P=Poor, no manure
- -Sandy or gritty
- W = Moist or wet



Petunia, Popcorn



Snapdragon, Super Giant



Portulaca, All-Double, Mixed

Petunia, Little Giants

Scabiosa, Giant Imperial Hybrids



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Name	Ke	y Color	Height	Time of Bloom	Type Soil Preferred	00	Inches	Weeks	Edges,	0=0	Succe	Window.	Pkt. and Wt. Price
PETUNIA, Balcony Balcony Mixed	1 4	All colors	18 in.	June-frost	1,2,4BH	0	15	1-2					20c; ½6oz. 65c.
PETUNIA, Single Dwarf Blue Mound Celestial Rose, Improved Comanche Elk's Star Fire Chief (A.A.) Little Giants Mixed Rosy Morn, Dwarf Silver Medal (A.A.) Snowball Improved Velvet Ball (A.A.) Violacea Single Dwarf Mixed	4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	Bright mid-blue Rose-pink Durple; white stars Spectrum red All colors, ruffled Rose; white throat Deep salmon Pure white Deep blood red Doep volet All colors	12 in. 13 in. 13 in. 12 in. 10 in. 10 in. 10 in. 12 in. 11 in. 12 in. 13 in.	June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost	1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH 1,2,4BH	0000000000	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	•		•	20c; ½oz. 60c. 20c; ½oz. 80c. 50c; 3 for \$1.25 25c; ½oz. \$1.55 20c; ½oz. \$1.55 20c; ½oz. \$5c. 50c; 3 for \$1.35 25c; ½oz. 65c. 50c; 3 for \$1.35 25c; ½oz. 70c. 30c; ½oz. 65c. 20c; ½oz. 70c.
PETUNIA, Large Single FiBallerina (Fringed) (A.A.) Crusader (Fringed) Dwf. California Giants Mixe Dwarf Elk's Pride La Paloma (Fringed) Popcorn (New) Fi Prima Donna (Fringed) Snowstorm	d 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Deep salmon-pink White; rose stripe All colors; ruflled Deep violet-blue Pure white Pure white Bright rose-red Pure white, waved	10 in. 12 in. 12 in. 12 in. 12 in. 10 in. 12 in. 12 in.	June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost June-frost	2, 4BH 2, 4BH 2, 4BH 2, 4BH 2, 4BH 2, 4BH 2, 4BH 2, 4BH	00000000	12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2	•	•		:	50c; 3 for \$1.35 50c; 3 for \$1.35 50c; 3 for \$1.35 30c; 3 for 75c. 50c; 3 for \$1.35 40c; 3 for \$1 50c; 3 for \$1 30c; 3 for \$1 50c; 3 for \$1.35
PETUNIA, Double Fringed All Dbl. Dwarf Glorious Mxd.	. 1	All colors, 5-inch	12 in.	June-frost	2, 4BH	0	12	1-2	•	•			\$1; 3 for \$2.75
PORTULACA (Moss Rose) All-Double XXX Mixed Single Mixed		All colors All colors	6 in. 6 in.		1, 2DS 1, 2DS	00	6	2-3 2-3	•			:	20c; ½oz. 60c. 15c; ½oz. 35c.
RICINUS (Castor Oil Bean) Zanzibarensis, Mixed	5	Green and bronze	10 ft.	July-frost	4, 5MW	0	36	3-4					20c; oz. 60c.
SALPIGLOSSIS (Painted Candelabra Mixed Tongue)	1 2 4 5	All colors, veined	2½ ft.	July-frost	2, 4S	0 0	9	2		•			15c.
SALVIA (Sage) Bonfire Farinacea, Blue Bedder Fireworks Welwyn Mixed	1 5	Scarlet spikes Lavender-blue Bright red spikes Mixed colors	2 ft. 3 ft. 12 in. 2 ft.	July-frost July-frost June-frost July-frost	2, 4, 5D 2, 4 2, 4, 5D 2, 4, 5D	0000	15 10 8 10	2-3 2-3 2-3 2-3	•	•		•	20c; ½0z. \$1.35 20c; ½0z. 60c. 25c; ½0z. \$1.35 25c; ½0z. \$1.35
SCABIOSA (Pincushion Flower Giant Imperial, Blue Moon Giant Imperial Mixed	4 5	Lavender-blue All shades	2½ ft. 2½ ft.	June-frost June-frost	2, 4 2, 4	00	12 12	2-3 2-3		●F ●F			15c. 15c; ¼oz. 80c.
SNAPDRAGON, Rust-resistan Super Giant Alaska Super Giant, Canary Bird Super Giant, Crimson Super Giant, Pink Sensation Super Giants Mixed Half Dwarf Mixed	5 6 5 6 5 6	Pure white Canary yellow Dark foliage Clear pink All colors	3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 3 ft. 18 in.	July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost July-frost	2, 4, 5 2, 4, 5 2, 4, 5 2, 4, 5 2, 4, 5 2, 4, 5	000000	12 12 12 12 12 12 12	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2		•F •F •F •F			20c; ½oz. 60c. 20c; ½oz. 60c. 20c; ½oz. 60c. 20c; ½oz. 60c. 20c; ½oz. 60c. 20c; ½oz. 60c. 20c; ½oz. 80c.
SNAPDRAGON, Non-resistant Magic Carpet Mixed Giant Ruffled Tetra Mixed	5 6	All colors, tiny All colors; huge		July-frost July-frost	2, 4	0 0	6	1-2 1-2	•	•F		•	20c; ½oz. 65c. 25c; ½oz. \$1.10

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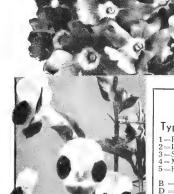
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	1 '			USI	ES		
O means full sun © half shade-half sun	Inches between plants	Weeks to germinate	Edges, rock gardens	•-Cutting; F=Fragrant	Successive sowings	Window, porch boxes	Pk

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Name	Key	Color	Height	Time of Bloom	Type Soil Preferred	00	Inche	Wecks	Edges,	•—Cu	Succes	Windo	Pkt.	and Wt. Price
STAR OF TEXAS	2 4	Canary yellow	18 in.	July-frost	2, 4D	0	15	2-3	•	•			20c.	
STATICE (Sea-Lavender) Sinuata Mixed	* 4	Delicate colors	2 ft.	July-Sept.	2, 4DS	0	12	2-3		•			10c;	½0z. 55c.
STOCKS (Gilliflower) Giant Bismarck Mixed	1	Pastel colors	2 ft.	July-frost	2B	0	12	2		•F			15c;	160z. 60c.
SWEET PEAS  Early Flowering Mixed Giant Spencer Mixed Spring-flowering Mixed Little Sweetheart, Mixed	4 x	All colors All colors All colors All colors; dwarf	5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 8 in.	May-July	5MW 5MW 5MW 5MW	0000	6 6 6 10	2 2 2 2	•	•F •F •F		•	15e; 15e;	½0z. 40c. oz. 55c. ½0z. 40c. ¼0z. \$1
TAHOKA DAISY	4	Lavender-blue	18 in.	June-frost	2, 4D	0	12	2-3		•			15c.	
THUNBERGIA Black-eyed Susan Mixed	1 5	Cream to orange	4 ft.	July-frost	2, 4H	0	12	2-3				•	20c;	1/4 oz. 75c.
TITHONIA (Mexican Sunflower) Torch (A.A.)	5	Orange-red, 3 in.	4½ ft.	Augfrost	2, 4	0	18	2-3					15c;	1 <sub>6</sub> oz. 60c.
TORENIA (Wishbone Flower) Fournieri	1	Sky-blue; yellow	10 in.	June-frost	2, 4, 5	0 0	8	2	•			•	20c;	<sup>1</sup> <sub>32</sub> oz. 55c.
URSINIA (Jewel of the Veldt) Anethoides Hybrids	1 4	Orange; zoned	12 in.	July-Sept.	2, 4DM	0	18	1-2	•	•		•	15c.	
VERBENA Giant Hybrids Mixed	1 4	All colors	8 in.	June-frost	2, 4W	0	12	3-4	•	•F		•	15c;	100z. 50c.
ZINNIA Burpee Hybrid Blaze Burp. Hyb. Floradale Scarlet Burpee Hybrids Mixed California Giant Mixed California Giant Mixed Chrysanthemum-fld. Mixed Dwarf Double Mixed Early Wonder Mixed Fantasy Mixed (A.A.) Gt. Dahlia-fld., Canary Bird Gt. Dahlia-fld., Dream Gt. Dahlia-fld., Exquisite Gt. Dahlia-fld., Exquisite Gt. Dahlia-fld., Hybream Gt. Dahlia-fld., Weteor Gt. Dahlia-fld., Oriole Gt. Dahlia-fld., Polar Bear Gt. Dahlia-fld., Woyal Purple Gt. Dahlia-fld., Wixed Lilliput Mixed Lilliput Pastel Mixed Lilliput Pastel Mixed Lilliput Tom Thumb Mixed Peppermint Stick Mixed Peppermint Stick Mixed Persian Carpet Mixed Red Riding Hood Red Riding Hood Red Riding Hood Red Riding Hood Super Giants Mixed		Scarlet-orange Vibrant red Vibrant red All colors, shaggy All colors, formal All colors, corned All colors, formal All colors, formal All colors, spaggy Canary yellow Rosy lavender Salmon-apricot Two rose tones Deep rose pink Darkest red Deep orange Cream white Deep purple Bright scarlet All colors; large All colors; small All colors; striped Variegated; bicolot Brighterimson;tiny All colors; huge	212-3 ft. 1222-3 ft. 1	July-frost July-frost	2, 4DM 2,	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	244 244 244 241 1215 188 244 244 244 244 244 241 241 241 242 242	1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2 1-2	•	:		•	20c; 20c; 15c; 15c; 15c; 15c; 15c; 15c; 15c; 15	1502. 70c. 1502. 70c. 1502. 70c. 1502. 70c. 1402. 70c. 1402. 65c. 1502. 55c. 1402. 70c. 1502. 50c. 50c. 50c. 50c. 50c. 50c. 50c. 50c

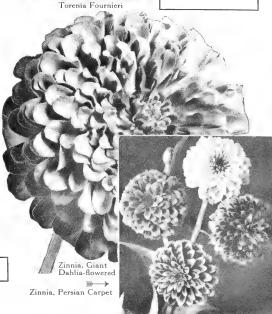
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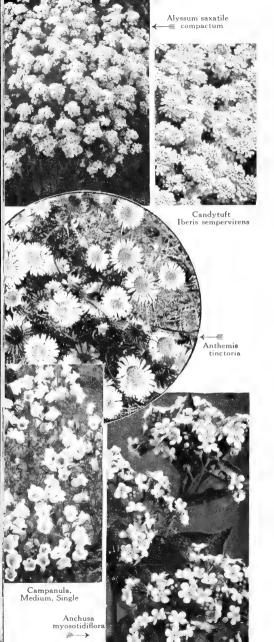


Verbena, Giant Hybrid

### Explanation of Column Type Soil Preferred

- 1-Poor or lean soil 2=Light loam
- 3=Sandy loam + humus
- 4 = Medium loam 5-Heavy or clay loam
- B = Water in drought
- D = Dry
- H = Humus or peat K = Lime or alkaline
- M-Manure, fertilizer P =Poor, no manure
- S = Sandy or gritty
- W-Moist or wet





# FORBES PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

The varieties of seed which we include in this section produce plants which live on from year to year, increasing in size and beauty with age. A few exceptions are the biennials listed, such as Campanula Medium, Digitalis, etc., which bloom the second year and then die. Perennials, used in permanent beds, come in a great variety of color and plant habit, ranging from the dwarf edging plants, to the tall stately plants for backgrounds. Selected for a succession they provide bloom from early spring to killing frost, and many show color before the annuals come to bloom.

Culture: The seed is generally started outdoors from June to September, and the young plants are either set in their permanent places in the fall and given light protection the first season, or carried over the first winter in a cold frame and set out the following spring. After that, all except the half-hardy varieties require little attention, except to keep the flowers cut to prevent the seed-pods from forming. Some are as easily raised from seed as annuals; quite a few may be forced; others make fine pot-plants and splendid cut-flowers.

KEY TO SYMBOLS: b-Biennials;	F-Fra	igrant; †-Background	is; *-May	also be sown i	n April				<u>_</u>	_	JSE				
<ol> <li>Sow in Nov. in cold frame, et</li> <li>Sow where to bloom and thin</li> <li>Will bloom first year if seed is</li> <li>Mulch for the first winter after</li> </ol>	c. to out.	freeze seed over win Hard to transplant ted indoors in Janl	ter. Feb.	O n	neans fi	ull sun de-half	es apart	ks to sprout	cutting	ng margins	Group plantings	k Gardens	h Tall Tulips	All are good for borders	
Name	Key	Color	Height	Time of Bloom	$\downarrow$	Type soil Preferred	Inches	Weeks 1	For	Along	Gro	Rock	With	Pkt. and Wt. price	
ALYSSUM (Basket of Gold) Saxatile citrinum Saxatile compactum	*	Lemon-yellow Golden yellow		April-May April-May	00	2, 4D 2, 4D	8 8	3-4 3-4		•		•	•	20c; ½oz. 70c. 15c; ¼oz. 60c.	
ANCHUSA (Alkanet, Bugloss) Italica Dropmore Myosotidiflora		Gentian blue Pale blue		June-Sept. April-May	0 0	2 2	18 15	3-4 3-4			•	•	•	15c; ¼oz. 60c. 25c.	
ANEMONE (Windflower) St. Brigid Mixed	4	Bright colors	12 in.	June	0 0	4HSW	8	5-6	•	•		•		25c.	
ANTHEMIS (Yellow Daisy) Tinctoria (Chamomile)	*	Clear yellow	2½ ft.	June-Oct.	0	2, 4D	12	3-4	•		•			15c; ¼oz. 65c.	
AQUILEGIA (Columbine) Blue Shades, Long-Spurred Chrysantha Crimson Star, Long-spurred Rose Queen, Long-spurred Snow Queen, Long-spurred Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids McKana's Giant Mixed		Various blues Soft yellow Crim.; white cup Rose shades Pure white All of above All colors	2½ ft 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft. 2½ ft.	May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June May-June	00000	2, 4KH 2, 4KH 2, 4KH	12 12 12 12 12 12 12	3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4			• • • • • •			25c; ½oz. \$1.10 25c; ½oz. \$1.10 25c; ½oz. \$1.10 25c; ½oz. \$1.10 25c; ½oz. \$1.6 25c; ½oz. \$5c. 35c; 30z. \$1.	
ARABIS (Rock Cress) Alpina, Snowcap Alpina, Spring Charm	*	Snow-white Rosy red		April-May April-May	0 0	2D 2	12	3-4 3-4		•		•	•	20c; ½oz. 50c. 20c; ½oz. 65c.	
ARMERIA (Thrift, Sea Pink) Large Flowered Hybrids		Red, pink shades	2 ft.	April-May	0	1,2,4SD	10	3-4			•			15c.	
ASTER (Starwort) Alpinus, Goliath		Blue-lavender	8 in.	May-June	0 0	4	8	2-3				•		20c; ½oz. 85c.	
AUBRIETA (Purple Rockcress) Giant Flowered Hybrids	*	Mauve to purple	6 in.	April-May	0 0	2, 4CS	6	2-3		•		•		15c; ½oz. 50c.	
BAPTISIA (False Indigo) Australis	*	Indigo blue	3 ft.	June-July	0	2, 4, 5	18	3-4	•		•			15c.	
BELLIS (English Daisy) Extra Double Giant Mixed	4	Red, rose, white	6 in.	April-June	0 0	4W	6	1-2		•		•		15c; ½oz. \$1.10	
CAMPANULA (Bellflower)* Calycanthema (Cup & saucer) Single (Canterbury Bells)		Mixed colors Mixed colors		May-June May-July	0 0		10 10	2-3 2	•		•			20c; ½oz. 65c. 15c; ¼oz. 40c.	
CANDYTUFT (Iberis) Sempervirens	*	Pure white	8 in.	May-June	0 0	2, 4, 5	12	2-3		•		•	•	20c; ½oz. 65c.	
CARNATION, Hardy Border Grenadin Half-High Vienna, Dwarf Double	*	Mixed colors Mixed colors	20 in. 14 in.		0	2 KS 2 KS	12 12	2-3 2-3	F	•		:		20c; ½oz. 55c. 20c; ½oz. 95c.	

## FORBES PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

KEY TO SYMBOLS: b-Biennials; F-Fragrant; †-Backgrounds; \*May also be sown in April

- 1. Sow Nov. in cold frame, etc. to freeze seed over winter. 2. Sow where to bloom and thin out. Hard to transplant.
- 3. Will bloom first year if seed is started indoors in Jan.-Feb.

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O means full sun ⊚ half shade-half sun, ● full shade	es apart	cs to spre	sutting	g margin	ip plantir	. Garden:	Tall Tu	good for borders

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4. Mulch for first winter after the	ne pla	nts freeze in hard.			• full	shade	es ai	ks to	cutti	E m	lq qu	Ca	Ta	borders
Name	Key	Color	Height	Time of Bloom	1	Type soil preferred	Inches	Weeks	For	Along ma	Group pl	Rock	Witl	Pkt. and Wt. price
CENTAUREA (Cornflower) Dealbata, Rose Delight Montana		Rose pink Purple-blue		June-Aug. June-Sept.	0 0	1, 2, 4 1, 2, 4	15 15	3-4 3-4	•					15c; ½oz. 55c. 15c; ¼oz. 65c.
COREOPSIS (Tickseed) Double Sunburst	* 3	Golden yellow	2½ ft.	June-Sept.	0	1, 2, 4D	12	2-3	•		•			15c; ¼oz. 60c.
DELPHINIUM Belladonna, Cliveden Beauty Bellamosum Improved Blackmore & Langdon's Hollyhok-fld, Wrexham Pacific Giant, Astolat Pacific Giant, Black Knight Pacific Giant, Blue Bird Pacific Giant, Blue Bird Pacific Giant, Calahad Pacific Giant, Calahad Pacific Giant, Lancelot Pacific Giant, Lancelot Pacific Giant, Summer Skies Pacific Giant, Summer Skies	*******	Turquoise blue Dark blue Blue to pink Blue to violet Pink shades Dark blue Mid-blue; white b Lavender White Violet; white bee Lilac; white bee Pale blue; white All the colors	4 ft. 5-6 ft. 6 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft. 5-7 ft.	June & Sept.	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK 4SMK	12 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15	3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4 3-4	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		• • • • • • • • •			25c; ½oz. 70c. 25c; ½oz. 70c. 35c; ½oz. 75c. 35c; ½oz. 75c. 75c; 3 for \$2. 50c; 3 for \$1.25 50c; 3 for \$1.25
DIANTHUS (Garden Pink) Plumarius, Dwarf Double		Mixed colors	12 in.	May-Sept.	0	2SKD	10	2-4	F	•		•		20c; ½oz. 50c.
DIGITALIS (Foxglove)†* Giant Shirley Mixed	ь 4	Pink, white	4 ft.	June-July	0 0	2, 4	8	2-3	•		•			15c; ½oz. 55c.
DORONICUM (Leopardbane) Caucasicum magnificum		Golden yellow	2 ft.	April-May	00	5	8	2-3	•					20c.
GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower) Burgundy Goblin		Coppery scarlet Yel.; red center		June-Oct. June-Oct.	00	2D 2D	12 12	2-3 2-3	•	•	•	•		15c; ½8oz. 55c. 15c; ½8oz. 55c.
GEUM (Avens)* Lady Stratheden Mrs. Bradshaw		Golden yellow Orange-red		May-Oct. May-Oct.	00	2, 4HM 2, 4HM	12 12	3-4 3-4	•			•		15c; ½oz. 75c. 15c; ½oz. 75c.
GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath) Paniculata Single Paniculata, Dbl. Snow White		Single white Double white	3 ft. 2½ ft.	June-Aug. June-Aug.	0	2, 4KD 2, 4KD	24 24	1-2 1-2	•		:			15c; ¼oz. 50c. 25c; ≟oz. 65c.
HEUCHERA (Coral Bells) Sanguinea splendens		Coral-rose	1-1½ ft.	May-Oct.	0 0	2MS	12	2-3	•	•		•		20c.
HOLLYHOCK (Althaea rosea) Superb Double Mixed	† *	Various colors	6-7 ft.	July-Aug.	0 0	2HMS	18	2-3			•			15c; ¼oz. 70c.
HONESTY (Money Plant) Lunaria biennis	* Ь	Silver seed pods	2 ft.	Cut in fall	0	2, 4HM	18	2-3	•		•			15c.
LAVENDER Munstead Strain	*	Lavender-blue	12 in.	June-Aug.	0	2SD	12	1	F	•		•		25c; ½oz. 55c.
LIATRIS (Gayfeather) Pycnostachya Spicata		Rosy purple Lavender-purple		AugSept. SeptOct.	0 0	2SD 2, 4W	15 12	3-4 3-4	•		•			15c; ½oz. 50c. 15c; ½oz. 50c.
LINUM (Flax) Perenne Blue	* 4	Pale azure-blue	1½ ft.	May-Sept.	0 0	2 SD	8	3-4		•	•	•		10c; ¼oz. 35c.
LOBELIA Cardinalis (Cardinal Flower)		Fiery cardinal	2-2½ ft	July-Aug.	0	4HSW	15	3-4	•		•			20c; ½oz. 60c.







### Explanation of Column Type Soil Preferred

1 = Poor sandy or clay soil 2 = Deep (10 in.) light loam

- 3 = Sandy loam + leaf mould
- 4 = Deep (10 in.) med. loam
- 5 = Heavy loam or clay loam

A = Acid or sour

- C = Crushed limestone D = Dry or ordinary
- G = Gravel or rubble
- H = Humus or peat
- K = Lime or alkaline
- L=Leaf mould
- M = Manure, fertilizer
- P = Poor, no manure S = Sandy or gritty

Superb Double

W = Moist or wet



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# Pyrethrum, Single and Double Hybrids Russel Lupines Sweet William Double Mixed Giant Double Shasta Daisy Shasta Daisies, Single Alaska

# FORBES PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

KEY TO SYMBOLS: b-Biennials; I	-Fra	grant; †-Background	ls; *May a	ılso be sown ir	April				<b> </b> _	USES			- Cr	5		
<ol> <li>Sow Nov. in cold frame, etc. t</li> <li>Sow where to bloom and thin</li> <li>Will bloom first year if seed is</li> <li>Mulch for first winter after th</li> </ol>	out.	Ha <sup>r</sup> d to transplant ted indoors in Janl		O n h sun,	O means full sun ⑥ half shade-half sun, ⑥ full shade				For cutting	g margins	up plantings	k Gardens	h Tall Tulips		All are good for borders	
Name	Key	Color	Height	Time of Bloom	1	Type Soil Preferred	Inches apart	Weeks to sprout	For	Along r	Group 1	Rock	Wit	Pkt.	and Wt. Pric	
LUPINUS (Lupine) Russell Mixed	*	Various colors	2½-3 ft.	June-July	0	2, 4AS	10	3-4	•		•			20c;	½oz. 50c.	
LYCHNIS Haageana Hybrids Mixed	*	Various colors	12 in.	May-June	0 @	2, 4HM	10	3-4	•	•		•	•	15c;	¹₁6oz. 40c.	
MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not) Palustris semperflorens	*	Pale blue	10 in.	May-June	6	2, 4HW	6	2-3				•	•	15c;	‡oz. 50c.	
PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragon- head) Virginica	*	Lilac-pink	3 ft.	AugSept.	0 6	2, 4	12	2-3	•		•			15c;	160z. 65c.	
PLATYCODON (Balloon Flr.) Grandiflora Blue	3	Violet-blue	1½-2 ft.	July-Oct.	0 @	2, 4S	12	2-3	•			•		20c;	160z. 65c.	
POPPY (Papaver) Iceland, Kelmscott Giant Oriental, Brilliant Oriental Mixed	* 2	Mixed colors Fiery red Various colors	] 3 ft.	May-Oct. May-June May-June	000	2M 4D 4D	8 15 15	1-2 1-2 1-2	•		:	•		25c;	½0z. 50c. ½0z. 75c. ½0z. 60c.	
PRIMULA (Primrose) Colossea (Bunch Primrose) Giant Munstead Mixed Vulgaris (English Primrose)	1	Various colors Various colors Pale yellow	9 in.	April-May April-May April-May	<b>©</b>	4SHMW 4SHMW 4SHMW	8 8 8	3-6 3-6 3-6		•		•	•	25c;	<sup>1</sup> <sub>32</sub> oz. \$1.30 <sup>1</sup> <sub>32</sub> oz. \$1.10 <sup>1</sup> <sub>16</sub> oz. 80c.	
PYRETHRUM (Painted Daisy) Robinson's Dark Crimson Single Hybrids Mixed Extra Double Mixed	*	Single blood-red Pink, red, white Pink, red, white	2 ft.	May-June May-June May-June	000	2, 4M 2, 4M 2, 4M	12 12 12	2-3 2-3 2-3	•		:			20c;	½0z. 65c. ½0z. 65c. ½0z. \$1.20	
SAPONARIA (Soapwort) Ocymoides splendens	*	Rosy pink	6 in.	May-July	0	2, 4	10	2-3		•		•		15e;	1€0z. 35c.	
SCABIOSA Caucasica, Isaac House	* 3	Blue shades	1½-2 ft.	June-Sept.	0	2, 4	10	2-3				•		25c;	160z. 80c.	
SHASTA DAISY Giant Double Single Alaska	* 3	Double white Single white	2 ft. 2-2½ ft.	June-Sept. June-Sept.	00	4K 4K	15 18	2-3 2-3	:		•			25c; 15c;	⅓oz. \$1.10 ⅓oz. 60c.	
STOKESIA (Cornflower Aster) Cyanea Blue	3	Lavender-blue	1-1½ ft.	July-Sept.	0	2, 45	12	4-6	•			•		15c;	½oz. 75c.	
SWEET WILLIAM Double Mixed Dwarf Double Mixed Single Newport Pink	∗ Ь	Various colors Various colors Salmon-pink	8 in.	May-June May-June May-June	000	2K 2K 2K	12 8 12	2-3 2-3 2-3		•	•	•		15c;	½0z. 60c. ½0z. 75c. ½0z. 65c.	
THERMOPSIS (False Lupine) Caroliniana	*	Yellow	2 ft.	June-July	0 @	2, 4	12	2-3						20c;	160z. 35c.	
TRITOMA (Red-Hot Poker) Perpetual Hybrids		Red, orange, etc.	3 ft.	AugOct.	0	2SD	12	3-4							½0z. 55c.	
TUNICA (Coat Flower) Saxifraga		Light pink		June-Sept.	0	2SGD	8	1-2							160z. 50c.	
VERONICA (Speedwell) Spicata		Deep blue	1½-2 ft.	June-July	0	4	10	2			•	•			160z. 35c.	
VIOLA cornuta* Mixed (Tufted Pansy)	Ь 3	Various colors		June-Sept.	0 @	4M	8	2-3				•			100z. 60c.	
WALLFLOWER English Double Mixed	ь 4	Brown, yellow, etc.		-	0	2, 4	8	2	F						160z. 50c.	

### LAWN CLOVERS

New Zealand White Clover. The dwarf plants bear fewer blossoms than ordinary white Clover, grow very close to the ground, are tenacious and form a dark green, thick sward. 1/4 lb. 55 cts.; 1/2 lb. \$1; lb. \$1.90; 10 lbs. \$18.

White Clover. A very hardy creeping perennial with dark green compact foliage. Used where it is difficult to produce a lawn with grass seed only. Use 1 lb. with 25 lbs. of lawn seed. ½lb. 45 cts.; ½lb. 80 cts.; lb. \$1.50; 10 lbs. \$14.

### INDIVIDUAL GRASS SEEDS

New crop, recleaned to the highest purity and germination. Prices below are subject to change.

- Bent, Highland (Agrostis tenuis var.). Dense matted sod binds well; strong underground runners. Sow 125 lbs. per acre. Lb. \$1.70; 10 lbs. \$16; 25 lbs. up at \$1.50.
- Chewing's Fescue (Festuca rubra fallax). Mat-like, green, tough turf with needle-like, bristly leaves suited to most soils. Does well in shade. For lawn, sow 40 lbs. per acre. Lb. 95 cts.; 10 lbs. \$8.50; 25 lbs. up at 75 cts.
- Chewing's Fescue, Penn State. An improved strain of superior quality developed by The Penna. State University. Lb. \$1.40; 10 lbs. \$13; 25 lbs. and up at \$1.20.
- Illahee Fescue. The toughest and most desirable of Creeping Fescues. Suitable for shade or sunny lawns. Very disease-resistant. Blends well with turf-grasses. Lb. \$1; 10 lbs. \$9; 25 lbs. up at 80 cts.
- Kentucky Blue, Superfine (Poa pratensis). Suited to a variety of soils and used as pasture. It is green early in spring when other grasses are dormant. Sow 60 lbs. per acre. Lb. \$1.90; 10 lbs. \$18; 25 lbs. up at \$1.70.
- Meadow Fescue (Festuca pratensis). Fine for permanent pastures or a quick nurse grass in mixtures. Succeeds best on moist land. Sow 60 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 95 cts.; 10 lbs. \$8.50; 25 lbs. up at 75 cts.

- Merion (B-27) Bluegrass. This new wonder grass is low growing, needs less frequent mowing and thrives under close mowing. It forms a dense, well-knit, hardy, deep green turf, highly resistant to crabgrass, and of very fine texture. It resists disease and tolerates heat and drought. High priced but economical as I lb. sows 800 to 1000 sq. ft. 2jdb. \$2.35; lb. \$4.65; 5 lbs. \$23.
- Redtop Fancy, Superfine (Agrostis palustris). Used for permanent pasture in a moist, rich soil. Sow 32 lbs. to the acre. Lb. \$1.70; 10 lbs. \$16; 25 lbs. up at \$1.50.
- Rough-stalked Meadow (Poa trivialis). A spreading, thickly matting species; leaf blades narrow, flat and dark green. Forms a fine turf; adapted for shade on fairways under trees. Thrives on moist and stifl clay lands. Lb. \$1.35; 10 lbs. \$12.50; 25 lbs. up at \$1.15.
- Ryegrass, Domestic. See Cover Crops below. Lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.45; 10 lbs. \$2.65; 25 lbs. and up at 25 cts. Ryegrass, Perennial. See under Cover Crops below. Lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50; 10 lbs. \$4.75; 25 lbs. up at 45 cts.
- Timothy (*Pbleum pratense*). Perennial, 4 ft. high, thrives in moist loams. Sow 40 lbs. per acre. Lb. 60 cts.; 10 lbs. \$5.50; 25 lbs. up at 50 cts. (Bushel weighs 45 lbs.)

### COVER CROPS FOR GREEN MANURING

These add valuable humus to your soil, prevent erosion and improve appearance.

- Domestic Ryegrass. This makes a wonderful cover crop. It is quick growing and forms a heavy matted root system and thick grassy sod. If you sow 1 or 2 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. from midsummer to early fall for green manuring you can turn the sod under early the following spring and add a lot of humus to your soil. To hasten rotting down of sod apply 5 lbs. Nitrate of Soda per 1000 sq. ft. before turning the sod under. It also makes a good temporary lawn sowing 5 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. at any time of the year. Lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.45; 10 lbs. \$2.65; 25 lbs. \$6.25; 100 lbs. \$25
- Hairy Vetch. Makes large growth; adds nitrogen to the soil. Sow 2 lbs. Vetch and 3 lbs. Rye per 1000 sq. ft. Lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50; 10 lbs. \$4.50; 25 lbs. \$10.
- Perennial Ryegrass, English. (Lolium perenne). Useful on slopes for its quick growth and tenacious roots. It forms a compact, coarse, very persistent sward that is bright green all season. Not recommended for permanent lawns as it is quite coarse but is very valuable for temporary lawns at low expense and is often used in other places where an inexpensive permanent cover is required. Sow 4lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. Lb. 55 cts; 5 lbs. \$2.50; 10 lbs. \$4.75; 25 lbs. \$11.25; 100 lbs. \$45.
- Rosen Winter Rye. If you sow, from August through September, 5 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. it will quickly produce a good growth for turning under the following spring. This will add considerable humus to improve your soil. 5 lbs. 90 cts.; 10 lbs. \$1.60; 25 lbs. \$3.50; 100 lbs. \$12.

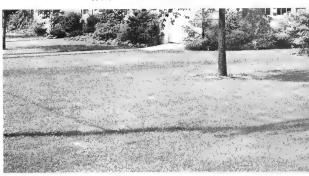
### LAWN WEED AND GRUB CONTROLS

To keep your lawn free of weeds use these modern weed killers but follow directions carefully.

- Double-O Crab Grass Killer. Contains 76% Potassium cyanate, the latest and best of all crab grass controls. Apply locally by sprayer only where crab grass appears in established lawns when in active growth. For seedlings repeated doses are needed as seed germinates over several weeks. Use when grass is dry but soil is slightly moist. Apply, for seedlings 2½ ozs. in 5 gals. water on 750 sq. ft.; for mature weeds 5 ozs. in 5 gals. water on 750 sq. ft. 5 ozs. \$1; 1½ lbs. \$4.
- Chlordane, 50% Wettable Powder (Synklor-50W). Kills by contact and the residual action remains for a long period. To control ants, Japanese beetle and other grubs, chinch bugs, etc. in the lawn sprinkle with 1/2lb. Synklor-50W in 25 gals. of water on 1000 sq. ft. and wash into turf with water. 1/2lb. \$1.50; lb. \$2.50.
- Weedone Improved, 2,4-D plus 2,4,5-T. This weed killing miracle destroys many varieties of weeds. No vapors to injure nearby flowers or shrubs. It quickly and selectively destroys dandelion, wild onion, plantain and other lawn weeds without killing the lawn grasses. In stronger solution it kills poison ivy, wild honey-suckle, ragweed, dock and others. Devote sprayer to this alone. 8 ozs. \$1; qt. \$2.75; gal. \$6.75.
- Chlordane 6% Dust. Gives control of ants and grubs by dusting 1 lb. per 250 sq. ft. of lawn; or grubs, root-maggots, wireworms, cutworms by working into the surface soil. Use indoors along baseboards or crevices to eliminate ants, cockroaches, silverlish, box elder bugs, and crickets. Lb. 60 cts.; 4 lbs. \$1.50; 24 lbs. \$8; 48 lbs. \$15.50.



A New Zealand White Clover Lawn



A temporary lawn from Domestic Ryegrass

Alfalfa A productive hay legume for well-drained soils. Sow 10 lbs. per acre. Also used to brew a medicinal tea. Lb. \$1.15; 10 lbs. \$10.50; 100 lbs. \$90.

See Ground Covers on page 28









Four of the best lawn controls

# INSECT, DISEASE AND PEST REMEDIES Directions on

The plant disease remedies, and the insect and pest controls offered here are considered the most effective and include the latest chemical developments for these purposes, as well as the selective weed controls in lawns. All have been tested by State Experiment Stations, Agricultural Colleges and Universities, etc.

African Violet-House Plant Spray Bomb. Protect your house plants from destructive pests. This handy push button bomb quickly kills mites, aphids, thrips, mealy bugs, white flies, etc. which infest house plants. Quick, handy, easy. Comes ready to use. Push button and the mist covers the plants. 6 oz. 89c.



Ant Jelly Bait, "Tat". Place a little whereever ants gather outdoors. They carry it back and it destroys colony. Tube 35c.

Ant Killer, Cyanogas. For outdoor use only. Pour the powder through the spout

into the ant nest opening. Then seal promptly with the sole of your shoe. The powder instantly forms a deadly gas that kills ants by asphyxiation. Harmless if the directions are followed. 4 oz. spout can, 50c.



Ant-Trap, "Tat". It is harmless to children and pets. Place traps 15 feet apart where ants are numerous. Will destroy the colony in about two weeks. 25c each; \$2.75 doz.

Arsenate of Lead. This stomach poison is effective for spraying trees and shrubs against attack by chewing insects such as web caterpillars. In powdered form, it is easy to handle. May be applied both as a dust or sprayed on in solution. Use 1 lb. to 50 gals. water. Lb. 65c; 4 lb. pkg. \$1.85; 24 lbs. \$10.50; 48 lbs. \$20.



Bean Beetles, Mexican. Use Methoxychlor.

Black Leaf 40. Nicotine sulphate. For all sucking insects as aphis, red spider, leaf hopper, thrips, etc. Dilute 2 teaspoonfuls to 1 gal. of water, and spray. 1-oz. bottle 39c; 5 ozs. \$1.19; lb. \$2.69; 2 lbs. \$4.79.

Bordeaux Mixture. This is the best to prevent the Tomato Late Blight provided you spray regularly every week or 10 days. A copper fungicide for mildew, blight, rust, scab and fungous diseases. Use at the rate of 1 lb. to 8 gallons of water, or if blight is serious, to 5 gallons of water. Lb. 55c; 4 lb. pkg. \$1.45; 24 lbs. \$7.50; 48 lbs. \$14.



Bulb Saver. Use this, containing Aramite, D.D.T., Ferbam, and Sulphur, to treat all of your fall and spring bulbs and Dahlia roots before planting and storing over winter. Helps control mites, thrips and fungous diseases, 6 ozs, 75c.

Borer-Kil. Inject this jelly paste into the holes to kill borers in trees and shrubs. 2oz. tube with large and small spouts, \$1.

Captan-Karathane. These new materials give very excellent results in controlling both black spot and powdery mildew. This double purpose fungicide contains 30% Captan and 3% Karathane. Use 2 tablespoonfuls to 1 gal. water. 1/2lb. \$1.35.

Catalizer, Spray. A spreader and sticker. Also makes Arsenate of Lead, Lime Sulphur and spray solutions safer. 2 lbs. 90c.

Chick Weed. See Chick Weed Killer under Weed Killers on page 45.

Chinch Bugs. Use Chlordane. Both hatches,

Chlordane 6% Dust, Gives control of ants and grubs by dusting 1 lb. per 250 sq. ft. of lawn; or grubs, root maggots, wireworms, cutworms by working into the surface soil. Use indoors along baseboards or crevices to eliminate ants, cockroaches, silverfish, box elder bugs, and crickets. Lb. 60c; 4 lbs. \$1.50; 24 lbs. \$8; 48 lbs, \$15.50.



Chlordane 48% Emulsion (Synklor-48E). Harmless to plants and pets. Gives unbelievable control of ants, grubs, chinch bugs, etc. under lawn or border surface. Use 1/2 pt. in 5 gals. of water on each 1000 sq. ft. For an effective subterranean termite control, dig a trench, 1 to 2 feet deep, next to building foundation. Mix 1 part Synklor-48E with 48 parts water and apply 1 gal. per foot of trench. 1/2pt. \$1.50; qt. \$4; gal. \$9.

Chlordane 50% Wettable Powder (Synklor-50W) Kills by contact and residual action remains for a long period. To control ants, Japanese and other beetle grubs, chinch bugs in the lawn sprinkle with ½lb. in 5 gals, of water on 1000 sq. ft. and wash well into turf with water. To kill Japanese beetles,



leaf-miners, thrips, etc. on plants spray with 2 teaspoonfuls in a gal. of water. ½lb. \$1.50; lb. \$2.50.

Chlorosis. Yellowing of foliage of Azaleas. Laurel, Rhododendron, etc. See Iron Sulphate under Fertilizers.

Cuprinol. Protects all wood from decay, termites and other insects both above and below the ground. It may be brushed (one gal. covers about 400 sq. ft.); sprayed or dipped and it provides long lasting protection. It stops costly rot. Green or Clear, qt. \$1.75; gal. \$4.70.



Corn Borers. Use Rotenone or D.D.T. dust; Earworms, use D.D.T. as silk forms.

Crow Repellent, No-Crow. Coats corn seed, repels crows, moles. 1/2pt. (for a bushel of seed) 60c; pt. \$1; qt. \$1.75.

Cutworm Bait, Snarol. Toxaphene meal lures army worms, crickets, cutworms and effectively destroys by contact and as stomach poison. Harmless to vegetation. Wet the area first, apply in the evening. Lb. 35c; 216 lbs. 75c; 6 lbs. \$1.65.



Cyanogas (A) Dust. For outdoor use only. Forms a deadly gas which kills rats, moles, woodchucks and other rodents. Avoid use indoors or where the gas might be inhaled by persons or pets. Lb. \$1.25.

D.D.T. 10% Dust. To kill Gladiolus thrips dust plants every 10 days. Before storing over winter dust bulbs and keep in warm place for 3 weeks. Lb. 45c; 5 lbs. \$1.50.

D.D.T. 50% Wettable Powder. Mix 4 teaspoonfuls per gallon of water (2 lbs. per 100 gals.) for a splendid mist control of beetles, worms, leaf-hoppers, aphids, etc. on flowers, ornamentals, fruit, potatoes and other root vegetables. Repeat at 10 to 14 day intervals. For lawn grubs, mix 1 pound in 5 gals, of water per 1000 sq. ft. Apply after mowing closely and removing cuttings Wash well into soil with a water sprinkler. Lb. 85c; 4 lbs. \$2.25; 24 lbs. \$12.

Dog-Skat. Hung on evergreen, tube drips, dogs avoid odor. Tube 50c. As a spray, apply at base of plants, 3 ozs. 50c.

Evergreen. Safe pyrethrum spray. Controls beetles, aphids, slugs, worms, both chewing and sucking. Avoid with arsenical sprays. Oz. 35c; 6 ozs. \$1.15; pt. \$2.45; qt. \$4.

Fermate. This highly effective fungicide gives full control of black spot on roses, leafspot and rust on mums and snapdragons, anthracnose on beans and tomatoes and all mildews. Add a little water to the powder first to make a wet paste, then add water slowly and stir well. 8 ozs. \$1; 3 lbs. \$2.95. The new black spot control fungicide Captan may even-



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tion spray for all insect and disease control of all fruits including grapes and stone fruits after the dormant stage. Contains D.D.T., Nicotine, Fermate and Sulphur. Use 2 tablespoonfuls to 21/2 qts. water. 10 ozs. \$1; 2 lbs. \$2.65.

Gladiolus Thrip. Use Lindane-Aramite. Grafting Wax. Refined. 1/2lb. 55c; lb. 85c. Japanese Beetles. See Chlordane; Jap-rocide; and Methoxychlor.

Jap-ro-cide. A combination of D.D.T. and Chlordane to control adult Japanese beetles on plants. Use 4 teaspoonfuls to a gallon of water. Also destroys wasps and spiders. 12 ozs. \$1,25; 4 lbs. \$5: 24 lbs. \$28.



Leaf Hoppers. Use Lindane-Aramite.

Lime Sulphur, Drv. Spray when trees are dormant, against San Jose scale, peach leaf curl and blister mite using 1 to 1 1/2 lbs, to 5 gals, water. For a summer spray against apple and pear scab use 1/slb. to 5 gals. water. Follow directions on can. Lb. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3; 10 lbs. \$5.75.

Lindane-Aramite Emulsion. Contains 6% Lindane, 5% Aramite. This very fine team gives the best kill of aphids. red spiders and their mites. thrips. Elm Leaf beetles, leaf hoppers, canker worms, mealy bugs, lace wing fly and is effective against Japanese beetles. It is the answer to leafminer control on birches, box, holly. It kills by contact, as an internal poison and by its fuming action which destroys pests on the unsprayed new



growth. Use one tablespoonful to 1 gal. of water. Avoid use with Bordeaux, Lime or alkalines, 4 oz. \$1; 8 oz. \$1,75; gal. \$13.

Lindane-Rotenone. See Rose Spray Bomb. Malathion 50%, Aphid-Mite Spray. An emulsion contact spray for mites (11/2 teaspoonfuls per gal. water) and other hard-tokill pests. Controls a wide range of insects on flowers, shrubs, evergreens, fruits and vegetables. Avoid use on cucumbers, melons and squash. Full directions on package. Oz. 40c; 4 oz. \$1.

Methoxychlor 50% or Marlate 50. This wettable powder, the new wonder insecticide which is very effective against pests yet harmless to humans or pets, will not injure plants. It kills as a stomach poison and by long lasting residual contact. Best control yet for Mexican bean beetle and

destroys beetles, worms and borers on squash, cucumbers, tomatoes, etc. Use 2 tablespoonfuls to a gallon of water on all fruits, flowers, shrubs. 8 ozs. 75c.

Mole-Nots. Drop one to a hole every 6 feet of run. Close lightly with soil. In 3 days flatten run. Box of 8, 35c; box of 50, \$1.

Molite Mole Killer. Light cartridge fuse and insert every 10 to 15 feet in runway. Seal openings to confine gas which kills moles. Cartridges, 6 for 80c; \$1.50 per doz.

# INSECT, DISEASE AND PEST REMEDIES Directions on each package

In using these materials we suggest that you exactly follow the directions on the package specially with selective weed killers, fumigants and dormant sprays. Be careful at all times to store them out of reach of children and pets. Three teaspoonfuls = 1 tablespoonful or \( \frac{1}{2} \) fluid ounces. One pound = 12 fluid ounces. One guart = 32 fluid ounces.

Mouse-Nots. Non-poisonous to dogs. Box of 9, 35c.

No-Nib'l Rabbit Repellent. It protects against birds, animals. They dislike the taste. 6 oz. can (makes 2 1/2 gals. spray) 98c.

P.A.R. A water repellent, pigmented finish for Redwood and Cedar outdoor furniture. Renews with a non-gloss finish and protects against discoloration. Does not peel or rain spot. Qt. \$1.50; gal. \$3.95.

Para Dichlorobenzene. For peach borer. If applied in trench about tree, and topped with soil, it emits a heavy gas which kills borers in roots. Lb. 55c; 5 lbs. \$2.40.

Para-Scalecide. A sure fire peach borer control. It combines Scalecide with paradichlorobenzene. Dilute 1 gal. in 7 gallons of water and apply with a dipper on tree trunk circling tree 6 inches above ground. Mound up the soil around the tree to contain gas. Qt. \$1.45; gal. \$3.25.



Poison Ivy. Ammate or Improved Weedone. Rabbits hate Repellent Rope and No-Nib'l. Rat-Nots. Non-poisonous squill. Box 35c.

Red Arrow Garden Spray. A rotenonepyrethrum-soap contact spray that destroys both sucking and chewing insects. Safe, efficient and easy to use. Oz. 35c; 4 ozs. \$1; pt. \$2.85; qt. \$5.

Repellent Rope. Keeps dogs, cats, deer, rabbits from gardens. Saturated with hardwood oils and petroleum distillates. They hate the odor. Encircle beds, shrubs, trees. Bury 3 inches to save bulbs. Circle trees against caterpillars. Can, 100 ft. \$1.50.

ROSE and GARDEN DUST. This contains no sulphur. A fully tested formulation of the newest materials to control all rose and garden insects and diseases. Has % Captan for black spot; 34% Karathane for powdery mildew; 4% Malathion for aphids, mites, scales, etc; 5% D.D.T. for worms and beetles. Use when calm and cool, as a dust, or spray with 7 level tablespoonfuls to 1 gal. water, every 10 days. This is really every rose grower's dream as it will not discolor the foliage. Try this all purpose, easy-to-apply new control this year. 8 oz. refillable duster \$1; 2 lbs. \$1.95; 24 lbs. \$22.

Rose Spray Bomb. Contains Lindane and Rotenone in a handy push-button spray for all Roses, Glads, Mums and other flowers; controls aphids thrips, leaf-hoppers, beetles and other garden insects. The 1% Lindane gives a lasting residual kill and the 34 % Rotenone destroys chewing insects, 12 oz. bomb, \$1.49,



ROTENONE DUST 1%. With just enough

when fruit and shade trees, shrubs and ornamentals are in dormant condition. Controls scale and invigorates growth. A complete dormant spray. Dilute 1 gal. in 15 gals. water. Qt. \$1.15; gal. \$2.75.

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Semesan Special. For brown patch; dollar spot in lawns. 11/2 lbs. \$4.95.

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Spergon. A disinfectant which prevents seed decay, and grows healthier crops of limas, peas and corn. Oz. (enough to treat 25 lbs. of seed) 25c; 5 ozs. \$1; lbo \$2.40.

Sulphur, Wettable. For mildew and black spot. Avoid use on cucumbers, etc. It acidifies soil without affecting the natural iron, 2 lbs, 65c; 5 lbs, \$1.15; 25 lbs, \$5.

Termites. Use Chlordane 48% Emulsion. Thrip Control. Use Lindane-Aramite.

Tobacco Dust, Fine. For fumigating, dusting and for ground insects. Also a good repellent for cats and dogs. 5 lbs. 85c; 25 lbs, \$3.25; 100 lbs, \$12.

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### WEED KILLERS

Ammate Weed Killer. For permanent destruction of poison ivy, poison oak, sumac, and all deep-rooted perennial weeds. Can also be used to keep driveways clean. Spraying foliage destroys both top growth and root system. Temporarily sterilizes soil. Use 1 lb. to a gal. water for 100 sq. ft. 2 lbs. \$1.15; 6 lbs. \$2.95.



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DOUBLE-O CRAB GRASS KILLER. It contains 76% Potassium cyanate, the latest and best of all crab grass controls. For

seedlings repeat doses as the seed germinates over several weeks. Use when the grass is dry but the soil is slightly moist. Apply, for seedlings, 21/2 ozs, in 5 gals, water on 750 sq. ft.; for mature weeds, 5 ozs. in 5 gals. water on 750 sg. ft. 5 ozs. \$1; 11/2 lbs. \$4.



HERBICIDE WEED KILLER. Kills weeds and all vegetation. Avoid applying within one foot of lawns. Dilute with water and sprinkle, 1 gal. makes 40 gals., sufficient for 1000 sq. ft. Qt. 85c; gal. \$2.25; 5 gals. \$10.

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Weedust 2.4-D. A handy duster to kill plantain, dandelions, etc. 12 ozs. \$1.

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lute 1 gal. with 40 gals, water for 800 sq. ft. of area. Qt. 85c; gal. \$2.25; 5 gals. \$10.



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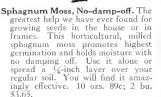
moss is saturated and the film holds the moisture in, while allowing air to penetrate freely. The film contains the necessary growth- and rooting-chemicals. Each kit makes 8 new plants. \$1.95.

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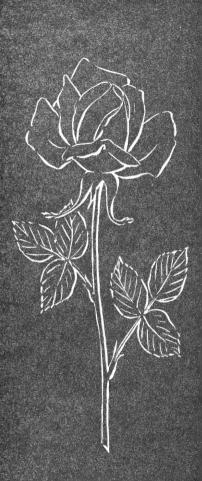
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### Start these Vegetables indoors, or buy our plants

	Seed for 50-ft, row	Depth to cover seed (in.)	Days from seed indoors to setting plants in garden	Set plants out in your garden	No. plants for 50-ft. row	No. feet between rows	Plants apart in rows (in.)	Days from setting plants to table size
Brussels Sprouts	Pkt. Pkt.	1/4 1/4	35 35	April and July April and July	35 35	$\frac{2\frac{1}{2}}{2\frac{1}{2}}$	18 18	70 80
Cabbage, Early	Pkt.	1/4	35	Apr. 1 to June 1	40	$2\frac{1}{2}$	15	62-75
Cabbage, Late	Pkt.	1/4	35	June 15 to July 15	35	3	18	88-100
Cauliflower, Early	Pkt.	1/4	35	Apr. 1 to May 1	35	21/2	18	50-60
Cauliflower, Late	Pkt.	1/4	35	June 15 to July 1	35	3	18	55–60 85–115
Celery and Celeriac.		1/4	55	April and July	96 35	21/2	6 18	80
Eggplant Kohlrabi	Pkt.	1/4	55 35	May 15 to June 20 April 1 to July	150	21/2	4	25
Lettuce, Head	14oz. Pkt.	1/4	30	Mar. to Apr.; Aug.	60	$\frac{1\frac{1}{2}}{1\frac{1}{2}}$		30-50
Pareless		1/4	45	Apr. 1 to July 1	200	1 1 2	3	30
Parsley	14oz. Pkt.	1/4 1/4	50	May 15 to June 15			18	70-72
Tomato, Staked	Pkt.	1/4	45	May 15 to June 15			24	69-90
Tomato, Unstaked	Pkt.	1/4	45	May 15 to June 15			48	69–90

# Sow these Vegetable Seeds right in your Garden

<ul> <li>For succession plant 2 or 3 kinds at same time.</li> <li>Means several</li> </ul>	Number of Sowings	Days sowings apart	SOW SEED OUTDOORS  § Or plant 6 seeds around 7 ft. rough poles, 3 ft. apart. Thin to 3	Seed for 50-ft. row	Feet between rows	Inches to cover seed	Inches apart in row	Ready to pick (days)
Beans, Dwarf Beans, Pole§ Beans, Bush Lima Beans, Pole Lima§ Beets	* 1 2 1 *	14 14 14	May 15 to June 15 May 20 to June 10 May 20 to June 10	1/2lb. 1/2lb. 1/2lb. 1/2lb. 1/2lb. Oz.	2 3½ 2½ 3½ 3½ 1	2 2 1 1 1	3 8 10 10 2	66-74
Cardoon	1 5 1 * 2 3 1	-	May 10 Apr. 1 to July 15 July 1 to Aug. 1 April to July April and Sept. May 15 to July 15 May 15 to June 15	140z. 140z. Pkt. Pkt. 140z. pkts. 140z.		1/2		66–76 70 75 45 59–91
Dandelion Endive Kale Kohlrabi	2 * 2 *	-	April and July-Aug. Apr. 1 to July 15 April and Aug. April to July	1/40z. 1/40z. 1/40z. 1/40z. 1/40z.	$     \begin{array}{c c}       1\frac{1}{2} \\       2 \\       1\frac{1}{2}    \end{array} $	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	10 12 12 4	90–95 55
Lettuce, Head Lettuce, Loose-leaf.	1 2 *	21	April or May Mar., Apr. and Aug. March to Aug.	1 <sub>4</sub> oz. 1 <sub>4</sub> oz. 1 <sub>4</sub> oz.	$1\frac{1}{2}$			40-45
Muskmelon Mustard	1 *	20	1	14oz. Pkt.	6	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{4}$		40
OkraOnions	1 *	30	1	Oz. 1/40z.	3	$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}}$	1	110
Parsley Parsnip • Peas Pumpkin	1 1 1	40	Apr. 1 to June 10 Apr. 1 to May 15 Mar. 15 to May 10 May 15 to June 15	1/20z. 1/20z. 1/2lb. Oz.	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1^{1/2} \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$	1/2 1/2 2 1	2	120
Radish, Early Radish, Summer Radish, Winter Rutabaga	* 1 1 1	10	March to Sept. May 1 to June 15 July 1 to Aug. 20 June 15 to Aug. 1	Oz. Oz. Oz. ½oz.		1/2		40 55 85
Salsify		14	Apr. 1 to May 30 May 20 to June 20 May 20 to June 10	Oz. Pkt. Oz. Oz. 1⁄20z. Oz. Oz.	1½ 1½ 1½ 3 4 8 1½	1 1 1	24 36 18	39–48 60 39–42 80–110
Turnips	1 1		Apr. 1-May 15; Aug. May 20 to June 20	1/4 oz. 1/2 oz.		1/4	18	



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